

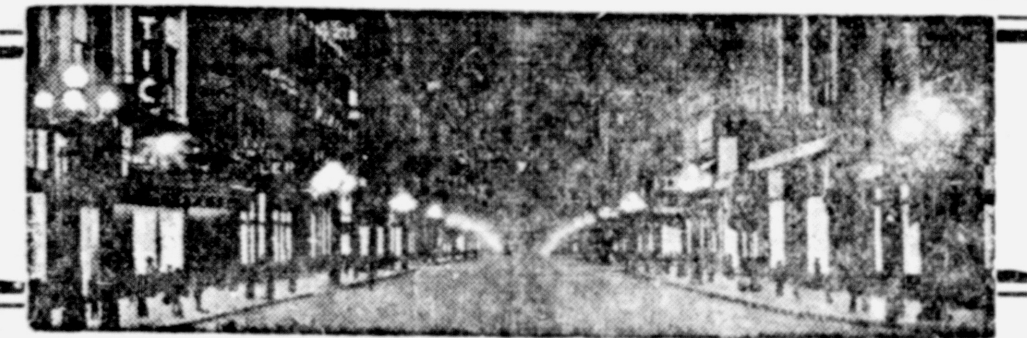
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On The Great White Way



NEAR-NEWS and CHATTER For The SHANK O' THE NIGHT



How d'y' do!

Every autumn, when the leaves begin to turn and the guest folk turn to leave, it comes home to us that

"The melancholy days have come,
The saddest of the year."

and in La Crosse the poet's tender plaint leaves its most poignant sting in the thought that

"The robin and the wren have flown,
And from the shrubs the Jay,"

for with the call o' th' rehearsal endeth the mellow hour of Jay Wilson's vacation.

But this day the Great White Way of the East speaks to the Great White Way of the West, and Jay comes back to us as "ships that pass in the night."

An atom in the eternal train
Pauses by the infinite way,
Joins a molecule of friends
In their microscopic play.

Just a glass, a kiss, a smile
In the fraction of a whiff;
Then behold him swept afar,
In the twinkling of a star.

Typical of life is this—
Just an interrupted kiss,
Garnished with a rose's breath,
Sandwiched 'twixt Birth and Death.

Something might have been expected of the cohesion of fellowship had not the Eternal Chemist wrecked scientific dogma to lend supremacy to that adhesion which enslaves men to Thespis, but as she says, "Off agin, Jule's agin, on agin, gone agin," will be the epic of this pilgrimage.

And so, since else must we be disconsolate, let's seek consolation in Jay Whitcomb Riley's reluctant philosophy:

"Say 'good-bye' or 'How d'y' do!'"
All th' same to me an' you—
Comin', goin' every day;
Best Friends first to go away;
All th' same to me an' you—
Say "Good-bye" or "How d'y' do!"

Good-bye!

GERMAN DOCTORS TEACH MANY WOUNDED HOW TO TALK AGAIN

BY KARL H. VON WIEGAND

LAON, France, Dec. 15.—By Courier to The Hague and Mail to New York, Jan. 5.—Today I saw men being taught to talk again. In the "human repair shops," the great German field hospitals, these men were learning anew the use of brains, tongue, hands and feet. They had received their baptism of fire, bullet, shrapnel, broken shell, all had done their work. And now medical science was doing its utmost to restore the victims to partial normality.

Professor Bockenheimer, in charge, and Dr. Luetkenmueller, chief surgeon, explained the work. It was a singular picture. Through the windows came the deep low base note of distant guns killing, smashing, tearing, maiming the human "ten pins." Here they were being patched up.

"What is this?" asked Prof. Bockenheimer, holding a pencil before a bearded warrior from whose skull he had cut a splinter of steel. The lips trembled. Then came the feeble answer "pencil."

He held out a cigaret and asked what it was. The man's lips moved and a look came on his face which seemed to say that he knew what it was, but could not say. Then Prof. Bockenheimer came to the rescue. "What do we do with this?" he asked. An apparent tremendous mental effort and then the reply "smoke." "Correct," said the professor, "what is it?" This time the brain and tongue worked and the answer was correct.

"Hours have to be spent by the nurses teaching these men all over

again," explained the professor. "It requires unending patience and perseverance."

Many cases of plastic surgery were shown. Men with most of their faces smashed away were being brought back to life with parts of their bodies grafted on to cover the terrible gaping holes. Many would be much better dead, but the doctors feel it is their duty to save all they can.

"We do not ask the wounded whether they want to live or die," explained Prof. Bockenheimer.

At the main French hospital two Iron Crosses, of the first and second class, pinned to the wall over a

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TRENCH NORTH OF ARRAS TAKEN BY GERMAN ASSAULT

Berlin Claims French Attacks at Other Points Have Been Repulsed with Loss

TAKE MANY FRENCH PRISONERS

Bayonet Encounters Mark Desperate Fighting in Alsace in Which Decision Is Lacking

ADVANCE SLOWLY IN POLAND

Little Serious Fighting with Positions Remaining Practically the Same Is German Report

BERLIN, Jan. 5.—That a 200-metre trench has been taken from the allies north of Arras, while several French assaults at other points have been repulsed was today's latest word from the western war zone. In the fighting near Arras, the Germans not only gained the allied defenses, but also captured a number of prisoners. The French are showing great activity in the Argonne region, where they have tried several times to break through the German positions. In each instance, the assaults have been repulsed with heavy losses to the attacking columns. The fighting continues to feature the fighting in Alsace, according to the reports here. An assault in force by the French between Steinbach and Autholz failed, although it was marked by hand to hand fighting, in which the bayonet was freely used.

The positions in northern Poland remain unchanged, and there has been little serious fighting. The Germans are continuing their attacks east of Bzura and northeast of Bolimow, but because of conditions, only slow progress has been made.

East of Rawa, the Germans are pushing forward by way of Humin, but along the Pilitza the situation is unchanged.

TRAVELS FAR TO BUY CZAR POWDER

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 5.—After a 12,000 mile trip from Petrograd, via Vladivostok and Vancouver, W. T. Tikonowitch, envoy of the czar, passed through Minneapolis last night enroute to Wilmington, Del. Credentials he showed said he was delegated by the Russian government to buy several thousand tons of powder for the Russian bear.

FLOUR BEGINS TO SOAR AS WHEAT MARKET BULGES

Grain to Pass Dollar and a Half a Bushel with Corresponding Increase in Flour Says Goetzmann

NEW RECORDS SET IN CHICAGO

Market Opens with May Delivery at \$1.37 and July at \$1.24; Above Monday Close

Flour went up twenty cents a barrel in La Crosse today, and is just at the beginning of an unprecedented climb, owing to the sudden advance in the wheat market, according to A. L. Goetzmann, manager of the Listman Mill.

That wheat, which today set a new record of \$1.34 for May delivery and \$1.24 for July, will certainly touch \$1.50, and probably go much past that point, was Mr. Goetzmann's view of the situation. And every cent added to the price of wheat means five cents more on the cost of a barrel of flour, he said.

Demand Exceeds Supply

"The European war is the cause," Mr. Goetzmann said. "Europe needs 200,000,000 bushels of wheat between now and July, when the new crop appears. The United States exportable surplus for the present crop was about 275,000,000 bushels. Already we have sent 175,000,000 bushels abroad, and 50,000,000 more is sold for export. That leaves a balance of about 50,000,000 more that the United States can export. And for the next six months Europe will need about eight million bushels a week.

"Ordinarily, the Argentine crop would supply a great part of the European demand, but there are not enough ships now to carry the grain, and the steamer lines have boosted their rates to such a point that the inferior Argentine wheat cannot be laid down in Europe as cheaply as the American.

"Russia has about 120,000,000 bushels of wheat, but it cannot be marketed in Europe until the Dardanelles are open to allied commerce. The only hope of relaxing the situation lies in the ability of the allies to force the Dardanelles."

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—A sensational rise in spot wheat at Liverpool and deplorable conditions in the European market were given as causes for the jump wheat took at the opening of the local market today. Wheat was up 2 1-2 to 2 points over yesterday's close at the start, marking \$1.37 for May and \$1.24 for July options. Toward the end of the first quarter hour the price

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NAP LAJOIE GOES TO CONNIE MACK

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 5.—The Cleveland American league baseball club today announced that Napoleon J. Lajoie, veteran second baseman, had been released to the Philadelphia Athletics.

Lajoie will succeed Collins at second for the Athletics.

Connie Mack arrived here today from Philadelphia and personally negotiated the deal. Lajoie made his 3,000th base hit on Sept. 27 last season. His salary is \$9,000 a year.

RUSSIANS CLAIM BIG VICTORY OVER TURKISH ARMIES

Germans Will Try Vistula Crossing Under Guns of Converted Monitors

NAVAL BATTLE IS PROBABLE

Russians Also Have River Craft, Armored and Equipped with Guns

RUSS VICTORY OVER TURKS CLAIMED

Fighting in Caucasus Regains Advantage for the Russians According to Petrograd

PETROGRAD, Jan. 5.—A complete and decisive victory over the Turkish troops operating in the Caucasus was announced here today. The entire Turkish force have been routed, the war office says, and the entire Turkish ninth army corps was surrounded and forced to surrender. Enormous quantities of supplies, ammunition and guns have been captured.

The victory today followed a flanking movement which resulted in the Turks being split in two.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 5.—Naval battles on the Vistula are now certain. The Germans have armored and armed river steamers, and are utilizing them in the river and using them in the Virishgad region. The Russians already had steamers in action, having used them to prevent the Germans forcing a crossing

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TELEPHONE CASE GOES TO SUPREME COURT SAYS MACK

Milwaukee Attorney for the Bell Company Maintains That Is Present Intention of Corporation

A BIG FIGHT BY CORPORATION

Vitaly Interested Because Several States Have Laws Similar to Wisconsin Measure

APPLY FOR LOCAL CONNECTION

Commission "Tries Out" That Feature of the Law at Janesville Before Entering Order for City

According to information to The Tribune today from Edwin S. Mack of Miller, Mack & Fairchild, Milwaukee attorneys, it is the present intention of the Wisconsin Telephone company to appeal from the decision of the Dane county circuit court in which physical connection of the toll lines of the Bell and La Crosse Telephone companies was ordered without compensation to either company.

This announcement by Mr. Mack, attorney for the Bell people, indicates that the case will not only go to the supreme court of Wisconsin, but to the supreme court of the United States.

Stevens Decided. In deciding the case Judge E. Ray Stevens of the Dane county court held that the right of the state, as represented by the railroad commission of Wisconsin, to order physical connection was based on the police power of the state rather than upon that of eminent domain.

In an Oregon case the court held that the right was that of eminent domain and that the company must be compensated.

Bel Says Illegal. The Bell company, it is understood, maintains that they should be compensated for the connection and that the order of the commission is the taking of their property without due process of law.

The announcement of the intention to appeal means that the Bell Telephone company, operating in every state in the union, is determined to test the constitutionality of physical connection laws such as have been passed by several of the states.

Bel Proposed It. While originally proposed by the Bell company along with the anti-implication of service, that corporation later turned against the measure and since has contested every attempt to enforce it.

At present the railroad commission has in its hands an application by Attorney Frank Winter of La Crosse for physical connection between the local exchanges of the Wisconsin and La Crosse companies.

No order has been entered in the La Crosse case, although it is understood that an order has been issued at Janesville to "try out" the law.

QUARANTINE COST CITY'S

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 5.—The expense of maintaining a quarantine must be paid by the municipality on the order of the local board of health according to an opinion rendered by Attorney General Owen today to Dr. C. A. Harper, secretary of the state board of health.

WEATHER

Temperatures yesterday:
High, 26.
Low, 22.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; probably rain turning to snow; colder by Wednesday night.

For Wisconsin: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; probably rain or snow; warmer east and south portions tonight; colder west portion Wednesday afternoon or night; fresh winds.

For Minnesota: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; probably rain or snow east and south portions; colder.

Weather Conditions. The northwestern low now covers the Plains states, upper Mississippi valley and upper lake region and cloudy and unsettled weather prevails throughout these sections with higher temperature and light rain or snow at a few stations. The pressure is highest over the Atlantic states and the weather is generally clear, except in Florida where it is raining.

The weather will continue unsettled in this section tonight and Wednesday. Rain and moderately high temperature is probable tonight turning to snow and colder by Wednesday afternoon or night.

URGE WOLFE FOR ROEMER'S PLACE ON COMMISSION

Prominent Local Democrat Suggested for Membership on Railroad Board at Madison

BENTLEY ALSO A CANDIDATE

Custom Makes Members Bi-partisan and Place to Be Filled Has Been Held by Democrat

ECHO OF FIGHT ON EMERY HEARD

Monahan Said to Be Candidate for Job of Man Who Has Fought Food Adulteration in the State

It became known today that Attorney William F. Wolfe, La Crosse, is the leading candidate being urged upon Governor E. L. Philipp for membership on the railroad commission of Wisconsin to succeed John H. Roemer, whose resignation will be in the hands of Governor Philipp in a few days.

The position must be filled by a lawyer and Mr. Wolfe is recognized as one of the leading attorneys in western Wisconsin. The commission is supposed to be bi-partisan and the place to be filled has been held by a democrat. Mr. Wolfe has taken an active part in democratic politics and at one time was the democratic candidate for attorney general.

Wolfe is Quiet. "I have had no talk with Mr. Philipp or his representatives concerning the commission berth," said Mr. Wolfe today. "Anything that has been done in my behalf must have been done by my friends and without my knowledge."

Three other men are prominently mentioned for Roemer's place. They are Frank Bentley, Baraboo, candidate for secretary of state in the last campaign; A. E. Matheson, Janesville, law partner of former State Senator J. M. Whitehead, and Attorney Van Doren, Merrill.

Bentley Eliminated. The fact that Mr. Bentley is a republican is taken to practically preclude him from possibility of appointment as Mr. Roemer's successor, although he may be appointed to fill the vacancy to be created in February by the expiration of the six-year term of Commissioner David Harlowe.

Davidson Is Out? For the position now held by Mr. Harlowe, however, the names of ex-Governor James O. Davidson has been mentioned. The place carries a salary of \$5,000 per annum. Mr. Davidson accompanied Mr. Philipp on his campaign tours and, it is understood, a warm friendship exists between the two.

After Onstad's Job. There are several applicants for the position of superintendent of public property now held by Otto Onstad of Cambridge, a McGovern appointee. Among those mentioned are W. R. Petrie, Madison; Dr. Frank Smith, Madison; Neils Holman, Deerfield, and Mr. Webster of Wausau.

The latter is said to be an old acquaintance of the new governor, and a close political adviser of the governor believes the Wausau man will be named. The salary is \$2,500.

It is said there may be several changes in the state board of control. Two appointments may be made by Mr. Philipp during his term, one as successor to John P. Lewis, Friendship, in 1915, and the other to succeed Dr. P. H. Lindley, Chippewa Falls. The chairman receives a salary of \$3,500 and the other members \$2,500.

There is some sentiment favoring the reduction of membership of this board. It has five members.

Monahan Mentioned

In the mention of J. G. Monahan, Darlington, as a possible successor to J. Q. Emery, state dairy and food commissioner, champions of Wisconsin's pure food laws believe they see a reopening of the war on the man who staunchly defended the state's food legislation against the attacks of the adulterators.

Monahan is one of the well known conservative republican leaders, was the temporary chairman and "key-note" speaker at the Philipp convention and was internal revenue collector under President Theodore Roosevelt.

Foe of Adulterators

Mr. Emery, since holding the office of dairy and food commissioner has taken no part in politics and has devoted himself entirely to the duties of his office. He has successfully upheld Wisconsin's laws against the misbranding and adulteration of food products and the result has been the target of resentment of those who have contested everything in the way of pure food legislation.

One of the most notable fights against Mr. Emery was by the Corn Products company, manufacturers of Karo "Corn" syrup, said to be a branch of the Standard Oil company.

Son for Deputy. Mr. Monahan's son, Homer Monahan, is also mentioned in connection with the possible appointment of a

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WILL OTT



Nothing matters what he tackles,
In the end it is the same;
Work or play—he does it better
Than the man who made the game.

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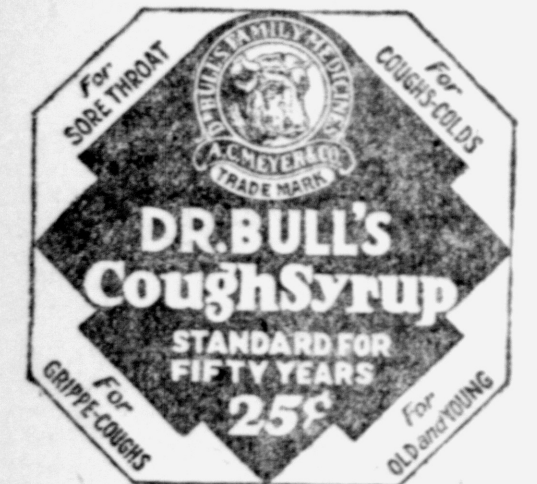
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SPOTLIGHTS

"UNDER COVER"

"Under Cover," Rol Cooper Me-
grue's fascinating detective play



which Selwyn and company will present at the La Crosse theater for one night only on January 5th, is a melodrama with a great big punch. In fact there are several decided punches the greatest of all coming just before the final curtain in the nature of a surprise that is so sensational that the slightest hint as to its nature cannot be given less it spoil the future auditor's enjoyment of the play by robbing him of his suspense.

"Under Cover" is one of the truly important theatrical successes of the season. It had its initial production at the Plymouth theater in Boston last season opening there for a limited engagement of two weeks only, but so great was the demand for it in that city that it remained there for forty weeks to crowded houses. In New York city and Chicago the play duplicated its Boston triumph, remaining in Chicago for six months at George M. Cohan's Grand Opera house.

It is the Chicago company that this

city will see in the play. The company will be brought here intact without a single change in the cast. Heading this notable assemblage of stage favorites is H. B. Warner, whose splendid acting as star of "Alias Jimmy Valentine," will be remembered with pleasure by many local theater goers. Assisting Mr. Warner are such well known players as

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TO ILLUMINATE PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

City Will Build White Way on Bluff Street While Telephone Concern Buries Cables

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—A White Way, five blocks in length will be established in Prairie du Chien in the spring.

J. A. Murray of Baraboo; O. W. Sherman, Reedsburg, and J. W. Calloway, La Crosse, officials of the Union Telephone company were here Friday attending the annual meeting of the corporation.

The company will install an underground system of cables on Main street, doing away with the poles and overhead wiring. This work will be done before Bluff street is paved in the spring.

It is expected that the Prairie du Chien city electric company will follow the example of the telephone company and it is thought that property owners will widen the sidewalk along Bluff street. The city will establish a White Way, five blocks in length.

THREE KILLED IN BATTLE

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 5.—In a street battle in Dante place three men were fatally shot here today. They are: Alphonse Amato, 35, saloonkeeper; Tony Fennello, 39, former bartender for Amato; Rocco Orlando, 32, saloonkeeper of 358 Seneca street. Fennello said Orlando started the shooting following a quarrel over saloon property.

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"Under Cover" has been termed a "sister success to 'Within the Law,'" and it is under the management of the same producers, Selwyn & Co. Certainly it is almost, if not quite, as great a favorite with lovers of real melodrama. Unlike most plays of its kind, however, it is entirely free of "underworld characters" and "white slaves."

Mr. Megrue, it's author, has been happy in the selection of his theme which is a brand new one in dramatic writing and serves most admirably as a basis for four acts of thrills, laughs, surprises and mystery.

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

THE LAW OF IT

BY JOHN PHILIP ORTH

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The widow Chester had adopted Miss Gladys Archer, her deceased sister's daughter, long enough before any one used the prefix in referring to her. She was Gladys or "sis" to everybody.

Mrs. Chester prided herself on being thorough with her charge. While teaching her how to handle her table cutlery she also taught her of what material bricks were made. While explaining to her the difference between poetry and rhyme she also explained why water and oil wouldn't mix. While making her read history, she also permitted her to read romance.

Miss Gladys was taught French at a school. At home she was taught the virtue of a mustard plaster as a counter-irritant. She was told of the cave dwellers, and she was shown how to mend her stockings. She could talk intelligently on astronomy, but she could also tell why a horse and a cow do not lie down or get up alike.

There were men in Wall street when Miss Gladys was eighteen years old who didn't know anything more about finance than she did, and there were hundreds of men in other walks of life who could have learned from her that a dog perspires through his tongue more than through his skin.

When the girl's education seemed about finished the aunt said to her: "We will now turn to the law. All law must be obeyed by our sex as well as the other. There are laws against murder, burglary, larceny, theft, perjury, false pretenses, bigamy and arson. How many laws did I name?"

"Eight," was the prompt reply. "Right. If you obey these eight laws you will never have any trouble. There are a few more lying around loose, I think, but you needn't worry about them."

"Oh, I never intend to kill or rob," was the laughing reply. "No, you never will, but you have learned the law to help out your general education. The law is broken through ignorance, often rather than through intent. You had now best take a spin in your electric. If you go as far as town get a paper of needles."

Besides being good in spirits, Miss Gladys felt that she was a good deal of a lawyer and she wish that she might meet some one in search of legal advice.

Her wish was granted before she had gone two miles. There was a spot in the highway which always collected water with a rain, and became a mudhole and a terror to travelers.

Four loads of gravel would have filled the place up, or an hour's work with the hoe would have made a drain, but the overseer of highways had been elected because he wrote poetry.

Miss Gladys surveyed the mud-puddle in dismay. She could never force her vehicle through that. Some one ought to be punished, but allowing a mudhole to remain until it got ready to take itself off had not been mentioned by her aunt as against any law.

The girl was about to turn back when she made a discovery. Some traveler had poured out curses on the spot and then thrown the fence down and taken to the field until he was past the spot. As a souvenir of his ire he had left the gaps wide open. The owner of the farm had discovered the trick and had put up a "No Trespass" sign.

"No trespass, eh?" mused Miss Gladys as she drove through. "I am sure that trespass is not among the eight laws. How could any law know that there was to be a mudhole at a certain spot?"

She was about to take the road at the far end of the obstruction when a man stepped from the bushes and held up his hand and called out: "You are under arrest!"

"W-h-a-t!"

"I am a constable and you are under arrest!"

"But what for?"

"Trespass, miss—the worst kind of trespass! There are the signs right under your nose."

"But there is no law about trespass," protested the girl.

"There ain't, eh? Well, you come home with me to Squar' Bradford and we'll see about that!"

It did not good to argue and protest. The office of the justice was a mile away at his house, and thither the prisoner was taken.

"Trespass!" solemnly announced the constable.

"Well, the law will have to see about it," was the answer. "Young woman, do you want a lawyer?"

"What for?"

"Because you are in a peck of trouble."

Upon a certain occasion the aunt had said to Gladys: "If you find yourself in trouble, don't cry and lose your temper."

This advice came to her now as she asked: "So there is a law to punish any one for not driving through a mudhole?"

"Young woman, there is a law to punish any one for not driving on a property after being warned not to do so," was the reply.

"But how was I to get around that mudhole?"

"The law doesn't care whether folks fly over a mudhole or wade through it. Constable Bebee, you saw the trespass, did you?"

"Bold as brass, your honor."

"Young woman, here is a witness that you trespassed. Have you one that you didn't?"

At that moment the constable saw

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some one driving past, and with a "hold on, Squar'" he went out of the gate. He was back in two or three minutes and said to Miss Gladys: "This is Mr. Whitman, a young lawyer from the village. I saw the trespass at right and arrested you, but if you want to wriggle out of it you'll have to have help."

"Is it some blunder?" smilingly asked the young man as he introduced himself.

"I don't know what to call it," replied Miss Gladys. "Is there a law called 'trespass'?"

"Oh, yes."

"Is it trespass to cross another man's land?"

"Yes, if he forbids you."

"Then I must be guilty. I had to turn into a field to avoid a big mudhole. What can they do to me?"

"Any other justice would advise you not to do it again and dismiss the case."

"Why, it's an outrage, and my aunt will say so!"

"Then let's fight it. I will call and explain the case to your aunt."

It was agreed, and the case was called and adjourned. When Miss Gladys reached home she told her story to the aunt.

"There may be a law about trespass, but I can't believe it till I see it," said the aunt.

"But I was arrested under that law, and they are going to try me under it."

"Then we'll get ten lawyers and spend a thousand dollars to beat them! You say Mr. Whitman is young?"

"About twenty-three, I think."

"I'm rather sorry he's so young. It seems to me that in a case like this we ought to have a lawyer of long experience."

"Oh, I don't know, auntie. Mr. Whitman must know all about the law or he couldn't have been ad-

mitted to the bar. I think you'll have confidence in him after talking tomorrow."

If Miss Gladys blushed a little at the finish of her speech the aunt did not notice it, and so all went well.

Mr. Homer Whitman called next day, and in such an entertaining manner as no old lawyer would have thought of assuming, he went into the legal merits of trespass. There were involuntary trespass—accidental trespass—trespass with a design to trespass—malicious trespass—trespass by walking on the land—trespass by sitting on a line fence, and several other sorts.

Five columns of the law had been gone through, but the lawyer had as yet failed to find what might be called "mudhole trespass." He was on trial, however, and meanwhile was sure that he had the prosecution beaten hands down. In this he was right. The justice of the peace became doubtful, the constable felt sick and the farmer decided that he didn't want any law in his;

Notwithstanding that the suit was dismissed, Mr. Whitman kept calling at brief intervals and looking after "mudhole trespass" and finally several months had passed and the aunt said: "Gladys, aren't you tired of talking law?"

"Of the law about trespass, yes," was the reply.

"Why, what else is there?"

"Mr. Whitman promises to sue me for breach of promise if I do not keep my word."

The aunt looked at her a long time and then said:

"Um, I thought it would end by taking a lawyer into the family. You both ought to be sued for trespassing upon my innocence."

The Chautauqua reports a successful season. Hobson has been very busy in congress.



Daddy's Bedtime Story

How Mr. and Mrs. Hassenpfe Moved. They Rolled Up the Carpet.

"KIDDIES, I'm going to tell you a story about faroff Belgium," said daddy as the children climbed up on the divan to listen to the evening story.

"All right, daddy," sang out the kiddies, who were very much interested in all the war countries.

"This is about Mr. and Mrs. Hassenpfe and their little kiddies. When the war broke out Mr. and Mrs. Hassenpfe had their household goods packed to move when Antwerp fell into the hands of the Germans."

"Of course kiddies always like to move. The dismantling of room after room is like a new and fascinating game for them. The rolling of carpets and the packing up of furniture satisfy their sense of adventure and mystery."

"So little Hans and Gertrude were very happy helping their mother and father, playing hide and seek about the packed up furniture and having a big time generally."

"But they'd no idea of the adventures they were to have before they were settled in another house."

"One day the packing was all done, and then a moving van came, and all the furniture was packed into it. It was a queer looking van, like a big house on wheels, and it was a motor moving van."

"Little Hans and Gertrude screamed with joy when they saw this van and begged to be allowed to play in it for a little while. So while the men were moving the furniture into the street preparatory to packing it into the van the kiddies played 'keeping house' in it."

"Then when the furniture was all packed the big van that looked like a house whizzed away. Then little Hans and Gertrude were taken on a train to a seaport and there embarked upon a big ship."

"They had a beautiful time on shipboard and had almost forgotten about the big moving van when one day Papa Hassenpfe took them by the hand and led them down some flights of stairs, and there in the hold of the ship they were surprised to see the big moving van with their household furniture all safe and snug within."

"When they arrived at the new home in New York city the big moving van had preceded them, and workmen were busy unloading the furniture when Hans and Gertrude arrived there."

"You may be sure that they were very much surprised little children to see the same moving van again, and after the furniture was all taken out they played in it, as they had in Belgium."

CONDITION OF THE National Bank of La Crosse

JANUARY 1st, 1915

RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS.....	\$2,513,388.95
OVERDRAFTS.....	2,605.72
U. S. BONDS TO SECURE CIRCULATION	250,000.00
MUNICIPAL BONDS TO SECURE POSTAL DEPOSITS	12,000.00
OTHER BONDS (FACE VALUE \$876,500)	845,800.00
STOCK IN FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF MINNEAPOLIS ..	\$6,500.00
5 PER CENT REDEMPTION FUND	12,500.00
BANKING HOUSE	50,000.00
CASH RESOURCES	969,154.57
	<hr/> \$4,661,949.24

LIABILITIES

CAPITAL	\$ 250,000.00
SURPLUS	400,000.00
UNDIVIDED PROFITS	26,611.42
CIRCULATION	250,000.00
BONDS BORROWED	12,000.00
DEPOSITS	3,723,337.82
	<hr/> \$4,661,949.24

OFFICERS

GEO. W. BURTON, Prest. F. H. HANKERSON, Cashier. L. C. COLMAN, Vice Prest.
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We wish to thank the people of La Crosse and vicinity for their good will and their patronage, and to congratulate them that they are living in the upper Mississippi Valley which is just now perhaps the most favored spot on the globe. Business here is normal, credit facilities ample and general conditions sound. As a people we ought to be very grateful and we may well enter the new year with thanksgiving and with confidence.

Suppose You Were on Fifth Avenue To-Day

—if you are a woman—you would be interested in the newest fashions which the women of New York are wearing. You would find a perfectly marvelous display of new gowns and dress accessories in the smart Fifth Avenue stores.

Suppose someone were to say to you, "You can select any one of these gowns that you want, and you can have it made in your own home at just one-half the store price." Would that interest you?

That is, in fact, what Grace Margaret Gould does in every number of the Woman's Home Companion. She shows the latest gowns just as they come from Paris, and by means of Woman's Home Companion patterns she makes it possible for any woman to duplicate them in her own home at a very modest cost.

Every number of the Woman's Home Companion



is a trip to Fifth Avenue for the woman who is interested in clothes. It's a money-saving counsellor for the woman who does her own cooking. It's a month of delightful reading for every member of the household.

The American Magazine contains the work of the best writers and artists in America. Your home is judged by the magazines that are in it. Secure the best magazines and the best daily newspaper by writing or telephoning the Tribune office to-day.

THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE

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Woman's Home Companion American Magazine

or both for only a few pennies more than the price of the Tribune alone.

You Pay No Money in Advance: Merely Pay the Carrier at the End of the Month.

CURE YOUR COLD IN A FEW HOURS AND FEEL FINE

"Pape's Cold Compound" opens clogged nose and head and ends gripe.

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end gripe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs. It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

GOOD SAMARITANS MEET

The Good Samaritans will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Thomas French, 1345 Avon street. The annual report of the organization will be read.

COMMISSION MEETS

Commissioners appointed by Judge John Brindley today appraised the value of streets and alleys taken over by the city in opening up new sections.

Advise Lime for Tuberculosis

According to the Journal of the American Medical Association (July 27, 1912, Page 308), Dr. C. F. Dison, of Minneapolis, holds that a "deficiency of calcium" (lime) is responsible for the physical conditions which lead to tuberculosis, "and the therapy he advocates rests on this basis."

One of the reasons for the widespread success of Eckman's Alternative in the treatment of tuberculosis and chronic throat and bronchial troubles is its ability to supply this deficiency.

It contains a lime salt in such form and so combined with other remedial agents as to be easily assimilated by the average person. There are on record many cases in which it seems to have effected complete and lasting betterment.

However, we make no exaggerated claims for Eckman's Alternative. We prefer that it be tried on the same basis one tries any other prescription, and we believe it will help, for IT HAS HELPED in many cases.

It contains no opiates, narcotics or habit-forming drugs. Therefore, it is safe to take. If your druggist is out of it, he will order, or you can get it direct.

Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

Sold by Geo. E. Mariner and Chas. F. Beyerslag in La Crosse.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe store. Wool rubbers 20c. Miss Clara Griffin has returned to her home in Fort Wayne, Ind., after visiting friends on the north side.

Miss Maude O'Brien, Stoddard, has returned after spending several days with friends and relatives on the north side.

Miss Orabelle Sullivan has returned to her home, 317 Mill street, from a few days' visit in Sparta.

The Misses Lillie and Alma Swenson have returned to their home at 1644 Charles street, from visiting relatives and friends in Houston, Minn.

Miss Hulda Welch has returned to her home in St. Paul from a visit with north side friends and relatives.

The Misses Susie and Edith Swarthout have returned to Medford to resume their duties as teachers, after spending the holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Swarthout, 904 Rose street.

Miss Louise Parson has returned to her home in Houston, Minn., after spending several days with friends and relatives on the north side.

The Misses Julia and Helen Simon, 2038 Wood street, have returned from a visit in St. Paul.

Richard O'Gar has returned to Minneapolis from a few days' visit at his home, 916 Caledonia street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lorton, 1613 Berlin street, are the parents of a girl, born yesterday.

Miss Laura Arnold of Minneapolis, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Kimble, 1629 Loomis street.

Miss Genevieve Cox has returned to her home in Houston from a few days' visit with on the north side.

Miss Mildred Rynning, Galesville, has returned from a short visit with north side friends.

Ed. Dahl has returned to Galesville, after spending several days with friends and relatives on the north side.

Miss Ruth Rynning of New Lisbon, has returned from a visit with north side friends.

T. W. Skemp has returned to his home, 1643 Kane street, after spending several days with relatives in Dubuque.

Miss Marie Welch has returned to her home in Atkinson, N. D., after being a guest at the home of R. W. Gifford, 1437 Avon street.

Miss Alma Hanson has returned to her home in St. Paul, from a short visit on the north side.

Harry Skemp, Dubuque, is the guest of north side relatives.

Miss Minnie Knight has resumed her studies at the University of Wisconsin, after spending the holidays at her home, 2132 Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McDonald of Waukon, Iowa, are guests at the home of William Dwyer, 632 Mill street.

SET FREIGHT HEARING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The interstate commerce commission today announced that hearing in the matter of proposed rate increases in western freight classification territory, will be held by Commissioner Daniels, from February 15 to March 18.

FUNERAL AT WAUKON

Funeral services for Miss Jennie S. Nichols, who died here Sunday, took place at Waukon, Ia., this afternoon. Interment was made there.

RESINOL WILL HEAL YOUR SKIN

Stops Itching Instantly, and Clears Away Unsightly Eruptions.

No matter how long you have been tortured and disfigured by itching, burning, raw or scaly skin humors, just put a little of that soothing, antiseptic Resinol Ointment on the sores and the suffering stops right there! Healing begins that very minute, and your skin gets well so quickly you feel ashamed of the money you threw away on useless, tedious treatments.

Resinol is also an excellent household remedy for pimples, dandruff, sores, burns, bruises, boils, and for a score of other uses where a soothing, healing application is needed. It contains nothing of a harsh or injurious nature and can be used with confidence on the tenderest or most irritated surface. Practically every druggist sells Resinol Ointment (50c. and \$1.00), and Resinol Soap (25c.). For trial free, write to Dept. KK, Resinol, Baltimore, Md. Ask for Resinol by name and thus avoid "substitutes" sometimes offered by unscrupulous dealers.

CARS LEAP TRACK

WARWICK, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Several cars of the Baltimore & Ohio, New York-Chicago express left the track here at 7:20 a. m. today. No one was hurt. Four Pullmans were derailed. Many passengers, however, were not awakened.

Much of the unhappiness in the world is due to morbid imaginations.

DRIVES AWAY HEADACHE

Rub Musterole on Forehead and Temples

A headache remedy without the dangers of "headache medicine." Relieves headache and that miserable feeling from cold or congestion. And it acts at once! MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Used only externally, and in no way can affect stomach and heart, as some internal medicines do.

Best for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, all Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frost-bitten Feet, Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia).

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50.

Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.



RE-ELECT LUENING SCHOOL PRESIDENT

Veteran Member of Board of Education Is Chosen Head for Fifteenth Consecutive Term

DEFICIT IN SCHOOL FUND IN 1914

Board of Education About \$4,000 in Debt When Bills for Past Year Are Paid

For the fifteenth consecutive term, William Luening was re-elected president of the La Crosse board of education, at the first meeting of 1915 last night. The election was unanimous, and was the only business transacted at the meeting of the "new" board. The "old" board, whose membership is identical with the "new," held a business session just preceding the election, at which business for 1914 was wound up.

That the board of education "ran in the hole" about \$4,000 in 1914 was one of the facts brought out at the business meeting. After all bills on hand had been authorized paid there was a deficit of \$2,860, and with several bills for repairs and books that had not been sent in, the total deficit will be close to \$4,000. The board's appropriation from the city last year was \$110,000, a cut of \$3,000 from the amount asked.

Discussing the outlook this year, when the city council has allowed the board \$115,000, it was stated at last night's meeting that the funds available would probably allow the board to come out just even.

Installation of a new ventilation system at the high school under an advantageous contract by which the city is not to be charged a cent unless the power bills are cut 15 per cent, was authorized by the board. The system is that of W. E. Watt, formerly a principal of a Chicago high school. The system is already partially completed at the high school.

Plumbing at the Washington school, conceded to be the worst of any school in the city, will be remodeled. The building committee was authorized to have the work done last night. It is contended that the present plumbing wastes water. Probably other schools with archaic plumbing will be refitted during the year.

The teachers' committee was authorized to employ two more pedagogues at the high school in February, when a great influx of freshmen is expected to bring the enrollment into the neighborhood of 920 students, the largest number in the school's history.

Two new histories were approved for the text-book list.

CALLS BANK STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call upon all national banks for a statement of their condition at the close of business December 31, 1914.

NORTH SIDE

BUSINESS HALTS AS FRANCE MOURNS

Edward Maes Receives Letter from Sister-in-law Who Is Belgian Refugee in South of France

REPEATS TALES OF ATROCITIES

Letter from Mother-in-law Who Lived on Belgian Border Says She Is Safe in Holland

Business is at a standstill in France, and the whole nation is in mourning for the dead on the battlefields, according to a letter recently received by Mrs. Edward Maes, 1804 Loomis street, from his sister-in-law, Mlle. Annette Lebe, a Belgian girl, who has found refuge in Mirande, Gers, in the south of France.

Mlle. Lebe had made a pilgrimage to Lourdes at the outbreak of the war, and was cut off from return. Her letter mentions some of the atrocities which the Germans are alleged to have committed in their occupation of Belgium and northern France.

Brother a Prisoner

The letter also mentions futile efforts to locate her brother, a soldier with the Belgian army. Mr. Maes has received word from another source that the young man is a prisoner in Germany and unhurt.

The letter follows in part: "God knows where he (her brother) is, he may be dead by this time. I tried to get news from him through the Belgian consul at Havre. I wrote there, but so far I have received no answer. You cannot imagine, my dear Clementine, how much this war provokes misery and mourning, it is terrible. They are fighting all over—in Africa, Asia and wherever the nations have colonies, the fight is going on.

"Family troubles are insignificant in the midst of this great war. They are too small to be considered. All the factories and the big stores are really ruined, as everything is closed down. You cannot see old or young men in town. All have gone to war. It is terrible to see all this misery everywhere. Here is a family weeping for their brother, another for their father, and every place one looks one sees only people in black.

Report Ill-Treatment

"We have been hearing much about the horror of war. A prisoner from this neighborhood, who was newly married wrote to his wife that he was well-treated, but in the dialect he added a postscript which the censor could not read that prisoners were misused. Still another prisoner in Germany wrote to his wife, under the stamp of his letter, that the Germans not only misused them but that the "good-for-nothings" had cut off his two legs.

"Quite a few girls came over with him from Northern France, with both of their hands cut off by the

At The Old Cross Roads

The Lyric will present this five reel drama, produced from the famous novel and stage play, with Esther Williams, the star, who played the original role on the stage.

Showing 2:00, 3:30, 7:00, 8:30, 9:20. Regular prices

Tonight and Wednesday
AT THE LYRIC

HAIR STOPS FALLING, DANDRUFF DISAPPEARS--25 CENT DANDERINE

Save your hair! Make it soft, fluffy, lustrous and beautiful.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No

difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance, an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance. The beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Germans. Another lady from this city saw her hired man hanged in the woods in the neighborhood by his feet, with two other Frenchmen. Their heads were burned. I will stop because I could tell you hundreds of cases, and it would take too much time to tell you all the horrors of the war.

"It is terrible to hear everything that the wounded tell us about the Germans. They come in great numbers—some have the fever, others have frozen feet. It is no wonder, when they have lived in the trenches where the weather is so cold and damp. It is different here. It is nice weather, almost like summer, here in Gascony."

Mother-in-Law in Holland

Mr. Maes also has a letter from his mother-in-law, whose home was in Stavelot, Belgium, on the German border. She recounts her escape to Maasrecht, in Holland, to mail a letter to her anxious relatives in the United States. She expressed anxiety for the safety of Mrs. Maes, who left Belgium for the United States two days before war was declared.

The letter says that the Germans passed through Stavelot, and confiscated everything in the little store which she conducted. She declared that many civilians were executed by the Germans in the neighborhood of Stavelot.

CROSS MEETS SHUGRUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Leach Cross and Young Shugrue, the Jersey City lightweight, were matched today to go ten rounds before the Garden Athletic club Jan. 13.

STICKS TO LOVE MATE WHO KILLED HER TWO CHILDREN

Attorney Refuses to Desert Woman and Prepares to Defend Her From Murder Charge When She Recovers

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Lorlys Elton Rogers refuses to desert his "love mate," Mrs. Ida Sniffen Walters, who poisoned their two children. Today, while Mrs. Walters is battling for her life at Lebanon hospital, Rogers is planning to aid her against a charge of murder that will be brought as the result of the death of her two children.

Mrs. Walters still does not know that her little ones have died as the result of the poison she gave them. Rogers still haunts the hospital. He has not been to see his legal wife, Mrs. Caroline Giddings Rogers since the poisoning of his children has resulted in the exposure of his dual life.

RESUME GRAFT PROBE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 5.—The federal grand jury returned to the consideration of the Indianapolis political situation today after having taken time last yesterday to return sixteen true bills in white slavery, postoffice robbery, and other cases.

Wigwag—"I hate to see a man going around looking for trouble." Henpeckke—"Yes, most of it is hoemmade, anyhow."

January

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Ten Days

If it's coffee that is causing your nervousness, headache, heart flutter, biliousness, or sleeplessness, and you want to keep on with these troubles another year, why—stick to coffee!

(It's an established fact that the poisonous drug, caffeine, in coffee causes these and other ills.)

But if you want to know the joys of freedom from coffee troubles, quit coffee and use

POSTUM

—the delightful pure food-drink.

Made from prime wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses, and free from caffeine, or any other harmful substance.

Usually a ten days' change from coffee to POSTUM is sufficient to convince most coffee drinkers that

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

New Car California Oranges

FANOF NAVELS

Buy them by the box or half box. It will save you money.

BARREL APPLES AND BOX APPLES

If you are all out of Apples let us renew your supply. Call or phone.

JOHN C. BURNS
FRUIT HOUSE

THE FASHION SHOP

F. A. REIMAN

EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE
Corner Fifth and Main Streets

That Boy

of yours that is so hard on shoes can be fitted with a pair that will wear just a little longer than the ordinary kind. Ask us.

W. F. Strauss
320 Pearl Street

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

No Soup Kitchens in This District

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Although the rest of the country is over-run with soup kitchens, there is not a single soup kitchen in the northwest. The condition of prosperity does not need them.

Icebox Holds Owner

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Four robbers entered the store of Henry Cass, ordering milk. When he went to get it, they rammed the top of the ice box on his head and robbed him of \$40. He says he will be careful about "heading in."

Has Hat Saved First

PATCHOUE, L. L.—"Save my hat," screamed Edward Jansen, a 200-pounder, as he fell through the ice into the bay, while iceboating. His hat saved, he allowed himself to be rescued.

Many Elope From Capital

WASHINGTON.—The capital's Gretna Green at Rockville, Md., reported 472 weddings during 1914, of which 295 were labelled "probable elopements."

Veteran Cop Refuses Promotion

CHICAGO.—When veteran policeman Tom Woods was ordered "inside" from his post, where he had helped school kiddies cross crowded streets for years, he resigned. "I'll stick to the kids," he said.

Why? Skirts are no Longer Tight

NEW YORK.—There was great excitement at the auto show in Grand Central palace last night. One thousand pretty chorus girls, all in the tightest of tight skirts, illustrated how to enter and leave limousines.

Human Pulmotor Saves

MEMPHIS, Mich.—A human pulmotor saved the life of Stella Gise, 17. Mrs. Al Anderson, a neighbor, found the girl unconscious from coal gas and breathed into her lungs for twenty minutes.

BEECHER BEATS MURPHY

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Willie Beecher easily won from Harlem Tommy Murphy in ten rounds of boxing at the Longacre Athletic club last night.

Acid Stomachs Are Dangerous

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist.

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisaturated magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisaturated magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.

STATE URGED TO OPEN 80,000 ACRES

Continuance of Present Program Is Advocated in Report of Forestry Committee

REPORT TO LEGISLATURE READY

Outlined at Meeting of the Committee in Milwaukee; Tomkins Explains Recommendations

Conservation of Wisconsin forestry, with a continuance of the present forestry program, will be the central embodiment of the report of the special legislative committee to the legislature.

The five members gathered in Milwaukee yesterday, going to Madison last night. The report will be officially sent to the state printer tomorrow. The members are Senator Henry A. Huber of Pleasant Springs, Dane county; Assemblyman O. F. Roessler, Jefferson; E. L. Kneen, Bangor; Axel Johnson, Polk county; and R. J. Nye of Superior. A Pearce Tomkins, secretary, was also present.

Principal Recommendations According to Mr. Tomkins the principal recommendations of the report are:

Retain the present forestry reserve acreage.

Retain intact the large acreage of the extreme northern counties.

Sell the 80,000 odd acres which comprise several small state forest plots. Use the money to purchase forestry lands not available for agricultural purposes, adjoining the extensive state forests.

Open for settlement purely agricultural land to actual settlers upon condemnation by a special neutral board.

Make these sales subject to twenty annual equal payments.

Will Not Retrench

"There has been a general impression sent over the state that the legislative committee would favor a retrenchment or the abandonment of the present forestry program," said Mr. Tomkins. "The committee report will favor the retention of all present forestation areas, except the outlying plots of about 80,000 acres. This, the committee will recommend, should be sold and the money used to purchase lands adjoining the present forestry sites. Only land not adaptable for agricultural purposes it to be secured."

Will Open Farm Lands

"It will also recommend that lands available for agricultural purposes, now included in the forestry reserve, be opened to settlers upon application and upon recommendation of a special committee. It is proposed that this committee consist of the state immigration commissioner, the present of the board of agriculture, and a soil expert to be named by the college of agriculture."

SOCIETY

FAREWELL DANCE

A private dancing party was given last evening at Germania, in honor of Mrs. Ida Kaeppler, who will leave Friday for California, where she will spend the winter. There were about twenty couples present. A delicious supper was served.

DINNER FOR MRS. KAEPPLER

Mr. and Mrs. William Meyers entertained at a dinner of twelve covers Sunday evening, in honor of Mrs. Ida Kaeppler and her daughter, Miss Lillian Kaeppler.

THIMBLE BEE

Mrs. H. M. Curtis and her mother, Mrs. J. C. Card, entertained Saturday afternoon at a "thimble bee" at the home of Mrs. Curtis, in honor of Mrs. J. W. Curtis of Madison. The decorations were garlands of Christmas greens, and bunches of mistletoe.

Mrs. Andrew Lees and Mrs. W. F. Goodrich presided at the refreshment table. A large basket of red carnations and hyacinths was the central table decoration. Twenty-five ladies were present. On Monday afternoon these ladies again entertained the same number of guests. Mrs. Walton Loxey and Miss Marie Hektoen poured the coffee and served the salad.

SOCIAL REUNIONS

Mr. and Mrs. John Paul, who have been guests of Mrs. Elsie Gile Scott at her residence, Pasadena, for the past few months, will leave for their home at Watertown, Fla., tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Curtis of Madison, Wis., who have been spending the holidays with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Curtis, left this noon for their home.

Miss Vera Anderson left Sunday for Chicago, where she will enter the American Conservatory of music.

Many a man is so near sighted as to stub his toe over his own opportunities.

IRVINE'S Wedding Rings

The best known rings, and known to be the best rings. Why not have the best, especially when you don't pay any more for it than for inferior goods? Every size, weight and shape in the finest seamless one piece, 22 karat, 18 karat and 14 karat Wedding Rings.

W. T. IRVINE, 429 Main Street, DIAMONDS

An Important Discovery

It was found that by combining certain remedies, without using any narcotics whatever, you would get wonderful results in the cure of all kinds of Coughs and Colds. The combination was fully tried out, put on the market, and is today known as Gray's Yerba Santa, the most successful Cough Cure up to date. Comes in 50c and \$1.00 bottles at CHAS. BEYSCHLAG, Druggist, 503 Main St.

LA CROSSE THEATRE "LOYALTY"

Tomorrow and Thursday A beautiful hand colored feature in five parts.

Latest Popular Songs between reels by Emil Niemeyer and Miss McLendon.

Adults 10c, Children 5c. Come where you get your money's worth.

"UNDER COVER" TONIGHT ONLY

DREAMLAND TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY FOUR REELS

1. "The Last Hope," in three parts. 2. "What Happened to Cate," a roaring comedy.

THE DOME TODAY ONLY

1. ANDY LEARNS TO SWIM 2. THE JUNGLE SAMARITAN 3. WHAT BECAME OF JANE 4. THE RAJA'S VOW in two parts Five Reels in all

THE CASINO MILLE OLGA PETROVA in "THE TIGRESS"

Five reel feature production LAST TIMES TONIGHT

This is a thrilling offering, based upon Ramsay Morris' absorbing drama. Starts tonight at 7:00, 8:20 and 9:40. Regular prices.

THE CASINO Special for Tomorrow "A CELEBRATED CASE"

A four reel special feature with MISS ALICE JOYCE Playing the lead.

PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen installation 8 p. m. Drill team. Dancing.

With a game bag full of rabbits and squirrels, Thomas Henry and Eugene Fuchs returned last night from a three day hunting trip in the neighborhood of Stoddard.

Emily Goetzmann and Helen Looney, who have been out of school the last three weeks with typhoid fever, enrolled at the high school again yesterday.

A. J. Van Ark, La. Crescent, Minn., was a business visitor in La Crosse yesterday.

Dance at Linker hall Saturday, Jan. 9. Admission 25c a person.

Two hundred acres of farm land in Greenfield township was yesterday sold to George Wuensch by his brother, Lorenz Wuensch. The consideration paid was \$9,000.

Mrs. Selma Readstown, Wis., spent yesterday in La Crosse visiting with friends.

J. W. Williams was a business visitor yesterday from Madison.

J. W. Maschak has purchased property in Burns and Overhaugh's addition to La Crosse for \$2,200. The purchase was made from L. J. Schamus.

The La Crosse & Southeastern Railway Company will continue to run their popular Sunday excursions during this winter between all stations at the same low rates and same train schedules.

Oscar Gram was here yesterday from Spring Grove, Minn.

Carl Mithelson, Arkdale, Wis., transacted business in the city yesterday.

Lars Buggy, Bangor, spent yesterday at a local hotel.

L. J. Brye, Viroqua, Wis., was in the city yesterday.

Ole Kjos, Decorah, Iowa, returned to his home today after a business visit here yesterday.

Victor Dahl, Westly, was here yesterday.

Hack calls promptly attended to. City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

J. E. Griffin was a business visitor yesterday from Dorchester, Ia.

H. E. Immel, Blair, Wis., visited friends and transacted business in La Crosse yesterday.

W. J. Miller was here on business yesterday from Wykoff, Minn.

M. C. Hanson was a visitor here yesterday from Amherst, Wis.

Leonard A. Moe, Galesville, Wis., transacted business and visited with friends yesterday.

F. E. Wright, Oshkosh, Wis., spent yesterday at a local hotel.

Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Albert Lea, Minn., visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

THREE TRAINMEN HURT

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 5.—Three trainmen were injured in the wreck of the Katy Limited, southbound, near Denison, Texas, today. The engine and baggage car turned over but all coaches and Pullmans kept the rails.

MONROE ASYLUMS IN BAD SHAPE

State Board of Control Will Force Repairs if County Board Does Not Take Action at Meeting

SPARTA, Wis., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Should Monroe county officials fail to provide means for improving conditions at the county insane asylum, the state board of control will be asked to take a hand.

A crowded condition is said to exist in both the asylum and poor home and the heating plant is said to be in a poor condition. A number of improvements have been recommended by the board of control.

Board members refused to make appropriations for repairs at the annual meeting in November.

Officers Take Oaths County officers were inducted into office yesterday morning. There were no formalities.

In the sheriff's office, Sheriff George Boss took the place of Mr. Vieth and Mr. Vieth was appointed by Mr. Boss as his undersheriff. Sheriff Boss also appointed as special deputies, Ernest Johnson of Tunnel City; Arthur Vieth of Sparta; Undersheriff Vieth's son, and George Mammel of Sparta.

In the court house proper, the number of three-termers or better, is remarkable. O. H. Boxrud is commencing his third term as clerk of the circuit court, as is W. A. Holden as register of deeds, and Attorney T. E. Apel is commencing his fourth term as district attorney. O. J. Jackson, who was appointed a year ago to succeed T. R. Talbot as county clerk, is commencing his first term as county clerk, by virtue of the suffrages of the county.

County Treasurer John C. Meyers commences his second term as county treasurer. The county treasurer is entitled to but two terms, so Mr. Meyers must of necessity withdraw from the county treasurer's office at the end of his current term.

Personals Mrs. J. J. Ewers of Hillsboro, has been spending the holidays among relatives and friends in this vicinity. She is keeping house for her son Clyde, who is making a great success as a teacher in the Hillsboro schools.

The funeral of Mrs. Albert Marquardt, whose death occurred suddenly at Tomah last week, was held from the Lutheran church in Sparta this afternoon. A large delegation of relatives, friends and old neighbors from Wilton, Ridgeville and Norwalk was present. Interment was in the local Lutheran cemetery.

The post office enlargement is now completed and the boxes are in the west half of the building, while the east half is given over to parcels post and rural delivery.

Students as follows returned to their work Sunday: John Doyle to Notre Dame; Fred E. Steele to Lawrence and John Heitman to Valparaiso.

Miss May Rice returned to her school at Tomah yesterday.

HOLD FUNERAL OF MRS. BANGSBERG

Last Rites for Prominent Woman Who Died Tuesday at House on King Street Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Andrew C. Bangsberg, who died Sunday, were held at 2:30 this afternoon at the Bangsberg residence, 1311 King street. Rev. T. Stanley Oadams, pastor of the First Methodist church, delivered the funeral address.

Special music was rendered by a quartet consisting of J. R. Kerr, Miss Stella Trane, Mrs. W. A. Lockman and C. R. Bearmore. Miss Florence Oadams was accompanist.

The pallbearers were W. G. Elston, R. D. Fentress, G. W. Ford, H. J. Tucker, W. A. Lockman and C. H. Baker. Burial was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

A Real Foe To Health is a Weak Stomach

From this source arises such ills as Poor Appetite, Nausea, Heartburn, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Constipation. You can conquer and fortify the system against such foes by the timely use of

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

Be Sure you get the Genuine



Less Than Half the Cost of Coffee

Kneipp Malt saves your money while building up your health. It gives you a delicious, satisfying, coffee-flavored beverage at less than half the cost of coffee. It is a wholesome, healthful malt drink. It makes rosy cheeks and promotes sound sleep.

Your Money Back

Try Kneipp Malt for 30 days. If you do not eat better, sleep better and feel better after the 30 days trial, tell your grocer and he will give you your money back. Kneipp Malt is quickly made. Pour boiling water over the ground malt. Let it boil once. Then serve. It is delicious and satisfying.

At your grocer 15c and 25c
Drink Kneipp Malt for good digestion

GIRL MAKES 98.25 IN FIVE STUDIES

In the new reading room list for the last quarter, published at the high school, Miss Esther Wiggert is credited with an average of 98.25 per cent in five studies. This is probably the best record ever made at the local school. There are six people in this five weeks' period who have higher marks than the highest of last quarter. The freshmen again ran off with the largest number of persons on the list, 38, and also have five out of the eleven who are on the honor roll, i. e. having all marks above 95.

Reading Room List, Five Weeks.

Advanced seniors—Harold Anderson, Harold Crider, Mildred Hussa, Burton James, Dagny Kinservik, Clara Klaus, Mildred Levis, Albert Meinert, Alex Nathanson, Mamie Olson, Edna Palechek, Oscar Tubias, William Strauss, William Walker, Elma Worthingham, Leah Young, Helena Zipse.

Seniors—Asta Anderson, Russell Anderson, Eunice Campbell, Florence Clark, Dorothy Cordell, Eleanor Cronan, Sadie Dyer, Marie Esch, John Fay, Louise Hanifi, Winifred Harrison, Mamie Hynne, Clara Jaeger, Roger Luck, Louise Mayer, Irene Orton, Selma Schwanzle, Esther Wiggert, Florence Young. Advanced juniors—Hannah Bakken, Joella Ewe, Dorothy George, Dorothy Imhoff, Abner Lauman, John Leisgang, Mary Murphy, Nona Nelson, Victor Walters.

Juniors—Ruben Anderreg, Edna Anderson, Alma Bradford, Gertrude Collieran, Ralph King, Felicitas Knothe, Romeo Lahure, Esther L. Olson, William Sanders, Selma Simonsen, Ragnhild Skaar, Barbara Spettel, Emily Turek, Marion Vesey, Lilah Vik.

Advanced sophomores—Walter Baum, George Bunge, Marie Egelberg, Henrietta Fisher, Loretta Flock, Ray Hadgraft, Cora Hardy, Helen Murphy, Lucile Niebuhr, Esther Peterson, Harold Risberg, Gretchen Schweizer.

Sophomores—Maude Christianson, Charlotte Davis, Ruth Esch, Elsie Guenther, Lavinia Jost, Norine Larkin, Mae Marvin, Annie Nathanson, Edna Peger, Viola Poehling, Orine Rhode, Marguerite Skaar, Ralph Spence, Marie Volz, Helen Voss, Kathryn Wanner, Mildred White, Erwin Wieschuegel, Ethel Wolf.

Advanced freshmen—Oranda Bangsberg, Beatrice Buck, Arne Gorder, William Jacobs, Marjorie err, Viola Nelson, Arthur Obrecht, Joseph Roche, Grace Williams, Laura Zeisler.

Freshmen—Harold Amundson, Albert Banasik, Andrew Burzynski, Selmer Birksio, Ella Bleakley, Eleanor Bollrud, John Dugan, Eleanor Edwards, Helen Erickson, Esther Ewald, Hazel Getts, Catherine Gillespie, Helen Goetzmann, Benjamin Goldish, Kathryn Haeblich, Lillian Harley, Bertie Johnson, Oscar Johnson, Irene Knothe, Paul Krause, Dorothy Kuehn, Otto Lehman, Jeanette Mollison, Esther Molzahn, Lilah Morkved, Malvina Mydele, Mildred Nelson, Esther Oelschig, Sophia Pappenfuss, Caroline Schweizer, Henry Splitter, Thomas Stavrum, Mildred Vernon, George Watson, Lillian Weigel, Charles Weis, Norma White, Alta Yeoman.

Average by classes—Advanced sophomores, 91.94; freshmen, 90.9; juniors, 90.8; sophomore, 90.8; ad-

vanced freshmen, 90.7; advanced senior, 90; senior, 89.4; advanced junior, 89.3.

Special honor students (those having an average of 95 or more)—Charles Weis, 95.25; freshman—George Bunge, 95.2 advanced sophomore—Eunice Campbell, 95, Helen Goetzmann, 95, freshman.

CAN'T FIND CAUSE OF WIFE'S DEATH

Whether Murder or Suicide and Means Are Mystery 72 Hours After Discovery of Body

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Whether Mrs. H. E. Ronalds, wife of a prominent Matton physician, died from accidental causes, committed suicide, or was murdered, and the cause of her death, today, seventy-two hours after finding of the body, was as deep a mystery as ever. Closest examination of the woman's stomach failed to disclose trace of poison. Dr. Ronalds insists his wife committed suicide.

With a second autopsy being held today to find traces of some possible unknown poison, police entered their efforts on Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Purcell, servants of the Ronalds' household, who are held as witnesses. Mattoon gossips declared today that Mrs. Ronalds was jealous of Mrs. Purcell. Dr. Ronalds has been hysterical since discovery of the tragedy.

One point which may play a part in untangling the mystery developed today when it became known that the wife had partaken of only part of a meal of which the doctor had not eaten.

Household Economy

How to Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save \$2 by Making It at Home

Cough medicines, as a rule contain a large quantity of plain syrup. A pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes, gives you as good syrup as money can buy.

Then get from your druggist 2 1/2 ounces Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you, at a cost of only 64 cents, a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.50—a clear saving of nearly \$2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good.

It takes hold of the usual cough or chest cold at once and conquers it in 24 hours. Splendid for whooping cough, bronchitis and winter coughs.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes the inflamed membranes in the case of a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with guaiaol, and has been used for generations to heal inflamed membranes of the throat and chest.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

PARK THEATRE

TONIGHT

1. In Self Defense

Two reel modern drama with Violet Mersereau and Wm. Shay.

2. The Girl and the Smuggler

A drama with Irene Wallace and Walter Miller.

3. FRUITS and FLOWERS

A society comedy.

Adults 10c

THURSDAY

The MIDNIGHT MARRIAGE

Walter Howard's great Lyceum success. A four reel drama in connection with regular program.

8 REELS THURSDAY

Children 5c

BURROUGHS HEADS LOCAL BARRISTERS

Dean of Lawyers Re-elected at Annual Meeting and Banquet of Bar Association

LAWYERS LIBRARY AGAIN UP

Committee Named to Investigate Proposal and Make Recommendations to the Organization

Attorney W. S. Burroughs again heads the La Crosse bar association, being re-elected president at the annual meeting and banquet held at the La Crosse club last night.

INCREASE CAPITAL TO HANDLE BUSINESS

Capital stock of the La Crosse Garment company has been increased from \$15,000 to \$25,000. President James Stone said today that his firm was reaching out for more business, and that the increase was made in order that the company could have a wider scope.

RUBBER MEN IN BIG BANQUET HERE

Traveling Salesmen to Gather in Annual Affair at La Crosse Club Tonight Says Funk

Forty-five traveling representatives and employees of the La Crosse Rubber Mills will be entertained tonight at an annual banquet of the company at the La Crosse club. Messrs. A. E. Funk and A. S. Funk have charge of the affair. Kreutz's orchestra will furnish music for the evening. The banquet will commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Thirty-two salesmen of the company have been brought from far distant points. Several are here from Pacific coast states, while others came from far eastern states to attend. The affair is an annual homecoming of the traveling men. The representatives have been shown through the new plant, and were given instructions as to how the goods of the concern are manufactured from the raw material, until they are turned out in the finished product.

URGE WOLFE FOR ROEMER'S PLACE ON COMMISSION

(Continued from Page One.) deputy commissioner when the term of Herman L. Ekern, insurance commissioner, expires next June. M. J. Cleary of Blanchardville and L. A. Anderson of Madison, are also discussed for appointment as insurance commissioner. The deputy commissioner is now held by George E. Beedle of Embarrass. The salary of the dairy and food commissioner is \$2,500 a year. The insurance commissioner gets \$5,000 a year, and the deputy \$2,500.

PRESBYTERIANS TO HAVE BUSY WEEK

Series of Services to Prepare for Communion and Work of the New Year

In preparation for the new year's work this will be an active week at the First Presbyterian church. Tonight Rev. D. C. Jones will address a men's meeting in the church parlors upon "Man's Greatest Need."

FIRST PROMOTION DEPARTMENT HERE

American Society of Equity Charters Institution to Be Located at La Crosse

La Crosse has the first promotion department ever chartered by the American Society of Equity. Incorporated for \$10,000 and with \$25,000 paid in, its purposes are the organization and encouragement of all co-operative enterprises, these enterprises first, however, to receive the approval of the American Society of Equity.

NAMES MEDIATORS IN COAL STRIKES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Secretary of Labor Wilson today named Daniel J. Keefe, former commissioner of immigration, and Hywell E. Davies as federal conciliators to intervene in Ohio and West Virginia coal strikes. This action was taken at the request of the Wheeling, W. Va., chamber of commerce, and these conciliators will leave here tonight after a conference with Wilson.

RUSSIANS CLAIM BIG VICTORY OVER TURKISH ARMIES

(Continued from Page One.) from the island which is in the middle of the river at this point. It is believed here the Germans are hopeful of forcing a crossing under protection of the guns of their steamers and the Russians have sent additional craft to attack them and prevent this.

ADVISORY BOARD MEETS WEDNESDAY

The advisory committee of the Associated Charities will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the court house. The committee is composed of representatives of the churches, women's clubs, and all charitable organizations in the city. Any who wish may attend.

KNITTING WORKS FIRE STARTED BY SPARK FROM NAIL

Unique Ignition Causes Disastrous Blaze in Picking Room of La Crosse Company

DAMAGE ABOUT \$1,500. INSURANCE

Water, Smoke and Flame Unite in Creating Havoc; Brilliant Work by Local Department

A spark, caused when a nail in a sack of wool came in contact with the steel prong of a picking machine caused a fire at the Onalaska Woolen Manufacturing company's plant, 120 State street, at 10:55 o'clock this morning.

The blaze, which was confined to the picking room, did \$1,500 damage, most of which was covered by insurance.

The machine at which the blaze started was operated by a woman and soon after the spark flew the surface of most of the wool in the picking room was ablaze.

The building which is that formerly occupied by the old Central Electric company, was immediately emptied of its occupants and department No. 1, responded. Owing to the nature of the blaze and the proximity of other buildings Chief Bradford ordered Department No. 3 to the scene.

Five streams of water were poured into the picking room and the actual extinguishing of the blaze occupied but a few minutes although the department remained "on the job" for some time.

At the time of the fire the company was working under "rush" orders having but recently accepted several big contracts for goods which will ultimately find their way into the camps of the warring European armies.

FLOUR BEGINS TO SOAR AS WHEAT MARKET BULGES

(Continued from Page One.) receded 3-4 to 1-2 from the opening. At the end of the first half hour of trading prices had receded still further to \$1.36 1-8 for May and \$1.23 3-8 for July futures.

Other Grains Follow

Corn and oats followed in the wake of wheat rice. Wildest excitement prevailed in the pit for more than an hour. Brokers dashed about screaming orders with coats askew and hair disheveled, running into each other and some times literally over each other.

MEAT CAUSE OF KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts to flush Kidneys if Back Hurts or Bladder bothers.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink. Chas. A. Beyerslag, Druggist, 503 Main St.

To Higher Things. Abstinence from low pleasures is the only means of meriting or of obtaining the higher.—Lander.

DECIDE DANBURY CASE FOR OWNERS

Famous Hatters' Boycott Case Goes Against the Unions in Supreme Court Decision

PUTS LABOR UNDER SHERMAN ACT

More Than \$252,000 in Cash Damages Must Be Paid to Danbury Firm by the Union

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—In unanimous decision of the celebrated Danbury hatters' case today, the supreme court put the labor unions of the country squarely under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust act.

The court also upheld the constitutionality of the section of the anti-trust law providing for treble damages to the persons damaged by a conspiracy in restraint of trade.

As a result of this decision, more than \$252,000 in cash damages, fixed under the treble damages act, will have to be paid to E. Loewe & company, manufacturers of hats in Danbury, Conn., by the members of the United Hatters of America, employed by that firm who went out on strike some years ago and are alleged to have boycotted the firm.

In handing down the decision Justice Holmes said there was no doubt that many of the hatters had used the primary and secondary boycott in attempting to force the unionizing of the hat factories.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 5.—Samuel M. Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who is in Indianapolis today, predicted trouble in Danbury, Conn., when the damages allowed by today's supreme court decision are collected.

"I feel apprehensive in regard to how the men will take this when their homes are sold to repay this firm," he said. "They will not easily submit I can't tell you what may occur."

MAJESTIC SETS BUSINESS RECORD

Birthday Bill Draws Crowd Second Only to Throng Which Saw Theater's Debut

"The Majestic did the biggest business Sunday of any day since the opening six years ago," said Manager Frank L. Koppeler of the local playhouse today. "I want to thank the city for the way it has received the anniversary bill."

That the classy bill presented on the Majestic's birthday is but one of a series of programs of a similar standard of excellence which will appear here in ensuing weeks, was Mr. Koppeler's statement, as he exhibited his list of bookings for the future weeks. Among them were many names of performers noted in vaudeville.

"We are going to have many excellent musical comedies, as well as the vaudeville," said the manager. "Max Bloom, with his famous horse, is coming pretty soon."

NO CRIMINAL CASES THIS TERM

No criminal cases will appear on the court docket which is being made up today. Five divorce cases are on file. In all twenty-three cases will be heard.

The suit of Attorney Charles H. Schweizer vs. William Helfach will be heard. Several of the suits to be heard were continued from the last term of court.

Eighteen persons will apply for naturalization before Judge E. C. Higbee in circuit court Saturday.

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MORSE ASKS BIG DAMAGES FROM MODERN WOODMEN

Man Who Sued B. F. Keeler for Libel Starts Suit Against Company Following Examination

CLAIMS HIS CHARACTER WAS HIT

Alleges Keeler and Woodmen Printed Pamphlets of Defamatory Nature During Insurgent Fight

Alfred Leslie Morse, through his attorneys, today entered suit in circuit court to recover \$100,000 against the Modern Woodmen of America.

The suit against the company follows the recent examination of witnesses under the Wisconsin discovery statute and is presumed to be the character of Morse. Morse was this examination.

A case against B. F. Keeler, state deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, instituted by Morse, in which he desires \$50,000 will be heard at the January term of court along with the case against the fraternal insurance company.

During the recent insurgent fight Keeler's concern is alleged to have issued and distributed a printed pamphlet, the caption of which was "Who's Who," and which dwelt on the character of Morse. Morse was a minister prior to his going into the insurance business. According to the papers in the suit filed today, the pamphlet alleged that Morse deserted his wife and family, which Morse denies.

MISSIONS HOLD CONVENTION HERE

Early in February Representatives of Fifteen Will Gather in La Crosse

A convention of the western district of the Union Gospel Missions will be held at the La Crosse Rescue Mission here during the first part of February. About fifteen missions in the states of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, and Illinois will be represented. It is expected that at least twenty-five persons will attend.

The convention was brought here through the efforts of D. C. Dewey, superintendent of the local mission. Superintendent Dewey will leave about January 25 for a meeting of the Brotherhood of the Rescue Mission Superintendents at Grand Rapids, Mich. He is being sent by the board of directors of the La Crosse mission.

FEDS GET AFTER NATIONAL COMMISSH

Ask to Have High Court of Baseball Ruled Out as Violating the Sherman Law

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—The Federal league today filed suit in the United States court, before Judge Kenesaw Landis, asking that the national baseball commission be declared illegal and void. Filed in the name of the Federal League of Professional Baseball clubs the petition asks also that the national agreement, under which the national commission operates, also be declared illegal and void.

The suit asks that the defendants be declared as constituting a "combination, conspiracy and monopoly, in violation of the common law, in contravention of the anti-trust and monopoly statutes, and in restraint of trade and commerce."

Ban Laughs

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—"The Federal league is simply trying to get a little more publicity." This was the way Ban B. Johnson, president of the American league, sized up the suit filed by the Federal league in Chicago today.

GERMAN DOCTORS TEACH THE WOUNDED HOW TO TALK AGAIN

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cot attracted my attention. The patient was young Fritz Lucht, airman.

With an officer as observer he was attacked while flying north of Rheims. They were attacked by a French monoplane armed with a machine gun. Lucht and his officer had only their pistols. Round and round they circled, each trying to get the advantage by getting above the other. At 6,000 feet the French plane got the German right and it was riddled. The desperate fight was visible from the lines of both armies.

Lucht was shot through the liver and the lung. But he realized that his officer had maps and observations that were badly needed. So he planned downward toward the German lines, landing just inside of them. Soldiers removed the two men just as the range, demolished the plane with a well placed shot. In the hospital General von Emmich personally pinned the decorations on the aviator's shirt. He will probably recover.

What a glorious old world this would be if we could only see others as we see ourselves!

FRENCH MASS TO TAKE CERNAY IN NORTHERN ALSACE

Metz and Strassburg Ultimate Objects of New Offensive Which Is Pouring Over Vosges

RUSSIANS IN TROUBLE IN EAST

Have Hard Work to Make Progress Against Turkish Army Which Is Growing Stronger

BY ED L. KEEN

(United Press Staff Correspondent.) LONDON, Jan. 5.—The French drive against the Germans in Upper Alsace is on in earnest. That it is considered serious in Berlin is shown by the renewed operations on the center and left of the allied positions. The Germans are plainly endeavoring to lessen the pressure on their extreme left. But unofficial advice reaching here indicate that the French are concentrating to carry Cernay, and thus open the way to Mulhausen, which General Pau has promised will be again French soil by the middle of the month.

Down the eastern slopes of the Vosges the French are pouring. The plan is to clean the Germans out of Upper Alsace, so that a determined assault can be made on Metz and Strassburg. Meanwhile, the British forces will be massed for real work in Flanders and northern France, so soon as the weather will permit active work there.

Outside of Alsace, interest here centers in the situation in the Caucasus. There, the Turkish forces are being constantly augmented, and the Russian army is being hard pressed, despite the optimistic reports received from Petrograd. There is a growing belief that the expected attempt to force the Dardanelles, thus menacing Constantinople, will not much longer be delayed by the Anglo-French fleet now in the Mediterranean.

Raiders Elude Fleet

News that German raiders have again been active in the Atlantic, has again attracted attention to the fact that the Karlsruhe and the auxiliary cruiser Kron Prinz Wilhelm continue to evade the British pursuing fleet sent to destroy them. An early report received said that the Karlsruhe had sunk four additional British and French merchantmen, but direct advices from Las Palmas say that the work actually was done by the Kron Prinz, which escaped from New York harbor in the early days of the war. The craft sent to the bottom are reported from Paris to the French steamer Mont Agel, captured December 4, the British steamer Bellevue, sunk the same day; French sailing vessel Annie Marie, sunk September 17, and French ship Union, sunk November 22.

French Report Gains

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS

(United Press Staff Correspondent.) PARIS, Jan. 5.—Occupation of a new position in Alsace and important gains of territory in the north by taking advantage of unpreparedness of the Germans, who were not expecting an offensive movement while the weather continued bad, were announced here this afternoon. At the same time it became known that the Belgian artillery, which has been reorganized, was again in action.

Gains 200 to 500 Yards

The gains in the north are important. They range from 200 to 500 yards on the dunes at Nieupoort and east of St. Georges. The Belgian artillery has been used to silence the German guns in this vicinity.

Determined attempts on the part of the German sappers to mine the French positions to the west of Lens were prevented by shelling the German positions with short range heavy mortars which literally blew their trenches to pieces. The Germans were more successful near Lille, destroying a long line of trenches along the main highway.

The French, however, shelled the victorious Germans with their three-inch pieces and finally charged them, retaking the positions at the point of the bayonet.

In the Rheims-Craonne region the long range artillery duels continue without any material change in the situation resulting.

"On to Rhine" Slogan

The French today entered Creux D'Argent, west of Orbe, in Alsace. The fighting is reported increasing in violence in Alsace and the slogan of "On to the Rhine" is again being voiced here in Paris. Despite whatever happens at other points on the battle line, nothing like the enthusiasm can be created as follows an announcement of gains, even though they be only inches and feet, in the "lost provinces."

Latest reports indicate the Germans are concentrating for a new offensive to the east and southeast of Ypres and at Labasse. Fresh troops have been brought up, supported by artillery and it is believed that as soon as the inundated area freezes solid forward movement will be attempted.

MRS. THOMPSON IS BURIED TODAY

With Rev. H. G. Magelssen officiating, funeral services for Mrs. Gunelle Thompson were held at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon from the home, and at 2:30 o'clock from the Norwegian Lutheran church. The remains were laid to rest in the Oak Grove mausoleum.

Java's Ruined Temples. Java possesses ruined temples of a vanished religion that in wealth of sculpture surpass anything in Egypt.



Left, Walter Mann, Eddie Dwyer, Miss Lawrence, Rosa Kane, Marie Wallace at the Majestic Thursday, Friday and Saturday

THE CONTINENTAL**SWEEPING
REDUCTIONS
on Men's
PANTS***Better to buy now
than to wish later
that you had.***MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S**

\$2.00 PANTS	\$1.60
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now	
\$7.00 PANTS	\$5.60
now	

Boys' Black Cat
Hose, all sizes, pair **10c****Men's Outing Flannel Night Robes**50c kind **39c**

now

75c kind **63c**

now

\$1.00 kind **85c**

now

Broken lots of all Wool Shirts and
Drawers that formerly sold at \$1
and \$1.25, saleprice **79c****BOYS' FLANNEL BLOUSES**\$1.50 kind **\$1.25**

now

\$1.00 kind **85c**

now

BOYS' KNEE PANTS

Knicker style.

50c kind **43c**

now

75c kind **59c**

now

\$1.00 kind **85c**

now

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTSRegular and military collar, all
colors.\$1.00 kind **89c**

now

\$1.50 kind **\$1.35**

now

\$2.00 kind **\$1.75**

now

\$2.50 kind **\$1.95**

now

Men's and Boys' Sheep Lined
Coats at reduced prices.**THE CONTINENTAL****Save this
Coupon—****GOOD FOR
an extra CASH
DISCOUNT OF \$1.50**

on any of our

\$11.95 to \$13.95

SUITS or OVERCOATS

Formerly worth to \$18.00

It's Valuable**THE CONTINENTAL****OUR GIGANTIC
ALTERATION
SALE****RENEWED WITH FRESH VIGOR***The Holiday Season forced a temporary halt to this
great Sale—Counters, Shelves, Show Cases and
Show Windows had to be given over to Festive
Holiday Goods.***—But now we're ready to go on—****WE MUST HAVE THE ROOM****BONA-FIDE REDUCTIONS ON****SUITS AND
OVERCOATS**

Latest Style Suits or O'coats

Worth to \$18.00

Alteration Sale Prices

\$11.95 to \$13.95

Extra Quality Suits or O'coats

Worth to \$28.00

Alteration Sale Price

\$21.95 and \$22.95

Latest Style Suits or O'coats

Worth to \$24.00

Alteration Sale Price

\$16.95 to \$19.95

Best Made Suits and O'Coats

Worth to \$30.00

Alteration Sale Price

\$23.95*Although the Prices Quoted Above Represent an ACTUAL SAVING to
you from \$5.00 to \$10.00 on each garment, we shall allow an extra cash
discount on these very low prices on SUITS and OVERCOATS during this sale,
providing you clip out any one of the four Coupons printed herein and present
same to us when paying for your purchase. Positively no extra discount without
one of these Coupons, and only one Coupon allowed on each Suit or Overcoat.***We shall also allow an Extra Discount of 10% on
the very low Alteration Sale Prices on our
Boys' and Children's SUITS and OVERCOATS***Don't overlook this Money Saving Opportunity.***EXTRA SPECIAL**Men's and Young Men's
Coats and Vests**\$2.45**

Size 32, 33, 34, 35.

Worth to \$10.00

Boys' All Wool 3 Piece
Plain Knee Pants Suits**\$1.95**

Worth to \$6.00.

THE CONTINENTAL

Henry N. Boehm

South-West Corner 4th and Pearl Streets
La Crosse's Greatest Clothing Store

Manager

**Save this
Coupon—****GOOD FOR
an extra CASH
DISCOUNT OF \$2.00**

on any of our

\$16.95 to \$19.95

SUITS or OVERCOATS

Formerly worth to \$24.00

It's Valuable**THE CONTINENTAL****A Rare
MONEY SAVING
OPPORTUNITY
on Men's
HIGH CLASS
FURNISHINGS
to your Advantage.****MEN'S WORK SHIRTS**

Your choice of any of our 50c

Union Made Work

Shirts **45c**

One lot of Boys' Warm Reefer

O'Coats, sale price. **\$1.45**

Men's and Boys' Mackinaw Coats

at reduced prices. See our Pearl

street show window.

BOYS' SWEATERS\$1.50 kind **\$1.25**

now

\$2.00 kind **\$1.65**

now

\$2.50 kind **\$1.95**

now

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS\$1.00 kind **85c**

now

\$1.50 kind **\$1.25**

now

WINDSOR TIES

Your unrestricted choice of our

entire line of 25c Wind-

sor Ties now **19c****CLOTH HATS AND CAPS**

Odds and Ends.

Hats formerly sold

at \$1.00, now **50c****BOYS' UNDERWEAR**

Regular 25c Jaeger fleeced Shirts

and Drawers now **19c**

at

KAZOO SUSPENDERS

50c Boys' Combination Suspend-

ers and Garters **39c**

now

FUR CAPS

Genuine Seal, Hudson and Near

Seal, at reduced prices.

RED FLANNEL DRAWERSRegular selling price **\$1.25**

\$1.50, now

Boys' Oxford gray materials long

O'Coats, velvet collar, regular \$5

and \$6.00, now **\$2.45**

now

MEN'S SHIRTS

Fancy percales, laundered cuffs

attached regular sell-

ing price 50c, now **35c**

3 for \$1.00.

THE CONTINENTAL**This Gigantic Alteration Sale****AFFORDS YOU AN EXTRAORDINARY MONEY SAVING OPPORTUNITY.
It's Our Semi-Annual GREEN TAG and ALTERATION SALE Merged Into One.****Clip the Coupons Clip the Coupons Clip the Coupons****THEY ARE WORTH REAL MONEY TO YOU.**



HAVE YOU A CASE OF BARTL BRAU IN YOUR HOME?

A book, some good cigars, a bottle or two of "BARTL BRAU"—what better way to put in an evening?

BARTL BRAU is the home beer. Brewed from pure malt and hops, it possesses a food value that makes it most palatable.

Its purity, delicious flavor and mildness make it an ideal table beverage.

Order a case of BARTL BRAU today.

YOU UP THAT BUILDS THE BEER

Franz Bartl Brg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.

"UNCLEIKE" STRONG FOR E. L. PHILIPP

Sends Warm, Enthusiastic Congratulatory Message to New State Executive

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 5.—Among the many congratulatory telegrams received by Governor Philipp, one of the heartiest was sent by United States Senator Isaac Stephenson of Marinette. After explaining he was obliged to return to Washington and could not attend the inaugural yesterday, he added:

"I hope and think that your administration will be along the lines of

lower taxes, that you and the legislature will repeal many of the useless and costly laws on the statutes and that you will do away with many of the commissions, as the people of this state now have too many burdens to carry. I have faith that you and the legislature will remedy many of the evils now existing."

Governor McGovern left for Milwaukee last night. He will re-enter the practice of law. Colonel Duncan McGregor, private secretary for four years, left this morning for his home at Platteville. Harry Curren Wilbur, who has acted as executive clerk for the same period, left for Milwaukee and will return to newspaper work. It is said, as soon as he can make a desirable connection.

The best winter sport is the fellow who shovels the snow off his walk the first thing in the morning.

THE CREAM

THE BIJOU presents the cream of the Pathe American productions, which are shown every Wednesday

The Quest of the Sacred Gems

Is the four reel subject for Wednesday this week.

Matinees 2, 3:15, 4. Evening 7, 8:15, 9:30.

See this Pathe Masterpiece.

Did you see "The Man from Mexico?" John Barrymore will make you laugh again tonight in this greatest of fun producers.

The BIJOU

SPORTS

GRADS SWAMP REGS IN ANNUAL TUSSLE

La Crosse High School Alumni Prove Too Much for the Red and Black Last Night

STREETER AND MEINERT STAR

Alumni Forwards Ring Seven Baskets Apiece;

Fay and Zeisler Play Hard for High

Forty-nine to nineteen was the alarming score piled up by the La Crosse high school Alumni last night against the regular red and black quintet. The "grads" had the advantage from the start, although high school made the first basket. Horne's men played together well but showed a deficiency in the shooting line. The cause for this is that this was the first game of any importance in which a number of the men had played. Captain Zeisler and John Fay played strong games, both being in the way of the Alumni when that team tried any signal plays. The rest of the team played well, considering that it was their first game, and show that they are capable of a great deal of development.

The alumni team was composed of the stars from the last four years' teams. Those playing were: Bradish (capt.), g.; Strum, g.; Weiss, f.; Meinert, f.; Streeter, f.; and Peterson, f. Streeter and Meinert started, both making a total of seven baskets. Weiss also played a strong game making five ringers. Zeisler, for the high school, made a total of 12 points, making five field baskets and two free throws.

The other scorers were Blatter, one field, Fay, two field, and one free throw; Bradish, 3 field, and one free throw; Strum, one.

The lineup for the high school team follows: Captain Zeisler, r.f.; Worth, Roellig, Wajahn, l.f.; Fay, g.; Bruha, Kelly, Kulcynski, l.f.; Blatter, Grenzer, c.

The game was of twenty minute periods. The score at the end of the first period was 23 to 11 in favor of the Alumni. Dr. Sputh of the Normal refereed with Keinabs as timekeeper.

NORMALS MIX WITH WINONA SATURDAY

Local Team to Meet Minnesota School in the First Game of the New Year at Normal Gym

Final arrangements have been made with Winona Normal school for a game of basketball with the La Crosse Normal on Saturday night. The game will be the real opening of the Normal's schedule, although it is not on the regular schedule. The first game on the official schedule is January 15 with Campion college of Prairie du Chien.

The Normalites feel at this early date that the going will be easy. The excellent showing of the men in practice has been re-assuring. Practice will be held tonight and tomorrow and Thursday nights. The coaches have given out a final call for all new material to report at once.

A move is under way to schedule a curtain raiser for the second team for the game Saturday evening. The seconds will probably be set against some local team.

When you reach that stage that you realize you are a small part of the audience you have become a very agreeable sort of person.

LaCrosse Theatre TONIGHT

8:15

The original Chicago company

"Under Cover"

The melodramatic success of the season.

Prices: 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50.

Seats selling.

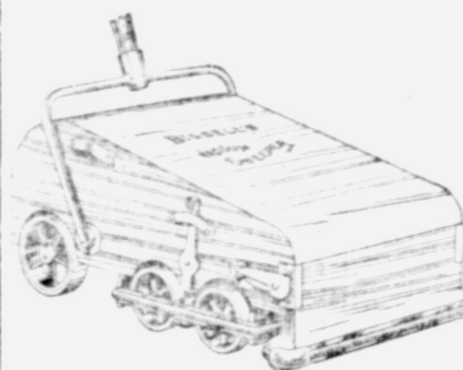
PLOW COMPANY TO PAY BIG AWARD

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 5.—The industrial commission today directed an award of \$1,950 in favor of Mrs. Mathea Caulum, La Crosse, whose husband was killed on December 12 while employed by the La Crosse Plow company. There was no opposition to the granting of the award, the facts in the case having been stipulated. Mrs. Caulum will receive \$350 immediately, and weekly installments of \$6.19.

FLYNN CALLS OFF FIGHT

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The Jim Flynn-Al Reich fight, scheduled for the Broadway Athletic club tonight, has been called off. Flynn asked a postponement because of an injured hand.

RENOVATE YOUR OWN CARPETS and RUGS—with a



BISSELL'S VACUUM SWEEPER

Superior merit is guaranteed by the name "Bissell's." Cleans your rugs and carpets as thoroughly as any of the high-priced devices. Simple, efficient, can't get out of order.

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Free demonstration in your home.

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Third Street, Between Main and Pearl

BIG TRADE TAKES LOBERT TO GIANTS

Slugging Third Baseman of the Phils Exchanged for Stock, Demaree and Adams

BY HAL SHERIDAN (Written for the United Press.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—John J. McGraw of the Giants has opened his campaign to bolster up his crew for the 1915 flag chase. What was considered by experts the biggest hole in his lineup is to be plugged by Hans Lobert, the slugging third baseman of the Phils.

Final arrangements in the deal whereby Al Demaree, pitcher; Milton Stock, third baseman, and Jack Adams, a young catcher, go to the Phils in exchange for Lobert, were made today. There is also an amount of cash involved in the deal.

The Lobert deal has been hanging fire for some time and did not come as a great surprise to the baseball world, although it was not expected that Demaree would figure in it. The poor showing of the tall hurler last year is responsible for his being disposed of.

FANATICAL FANCIES

The time for the division of handball teams at the Y. M. C. A. into classes is drawing near and with it much keen competition among members of the place tournament, which has been in progress at the association for some two months or more. Evans and Solie, last year's champions, are again in the lead of the four-walled-court athletes, to all appearances. Two, and possibly three classes will be formed as was the case last year, each class to play its own schedule. At the end of the season, as has been the rule for the last few years, the champs in the three classes will meet, beginning with the lower classes, to determine the championship of the association. The tournament, always interesting, yearly proves to be one of the features of the association athletic calendar.

A word concerning the work of Joe Welling, Chicago lightweight and idol of La Crosse fight fans, may not come amiss here. Joe's record, received recently with his compliments, shows a slate probably little known to La Crosse fans. That the Windy City boy is improving wonderfully in the fist game is shown by a glance at his 1914 record, from his first fight here with Mickey Farrell on New Year's to his decision over "Sapper" Neill at Melbourne, Australia, on July 18. In the interim, Joe fought eight battles, losing but one, that to Hughie Mehegan at Sydney, Australia, May 24 in twenty rounds. He scored knockouts in two, won on points in three and drew in one. His match here with Farrell was of necessity a no decision match, although the bookkeeper would have won had a verdict been in order. Welling won two fights on the coast before leaving on his jaunt to the land of the kangaroo.

From the sport page of a contemporary:

Edward Krout, 14, of York, Pa., survives a shock of 6,000 volts of electricity.

Rather severe matter, it seems to trust before the unoffending eyes of the sport-inclined public.

Or it may be that the boy's name warranted the break of newspaper etiquette.

MAIN SIGNS WITH FEDS

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Miles Main, buoyant twirler of Detroit Tiger fame, has signed a two years contract with the Feds, it became known today. President Gilmore of the outlaw organization, confirmed the report, but says he does not know with which club Main would play.

It sometimes happens that the fellow who announces he wouldn't stand for a certain thing will fall for it.

THIS LIFE PRESERVER IS NOT CONTRABAND, BUT SO MANY MEN ARE LOOKING FOR IT.

THAT'S RIGHT—YOU'RE SURE TO BE PICKED UP BY A STEAMER OR YACHT, SO I'M GOING TO STAY CLOSE BY.



ON LAND OR SEA, MEN LIKE TO BE NEAR THE GOOD JUDGE.

FROM man to man what's more to the point than word of "Right-Cut" the Real Tobacco Chew. That's the reason why "Right-Cut" users see to it that their friends know about it too.

A little chew of pure, rich, mellow tobacco—cut fine, short shred—seasoned and sweetened just enough, cuts out so much of the grinding and spitting.

Take a very small chew—less than one-quarter the old size. It will be more satisfying than a mouthful of ordinary tobacco. Just nibble on it until you find the strength chew that suits you. Tuck it away. Then let it rest. See how easily and evenly the real tobacco taste comes, how it satisfies without grinding, how much less you have to spit, how few chews you take to be tobacco satisfied. That's why it is *The Real Tobacco Chew*. That's why it costs less in the end.

It is a ready chew, cut fine and short shred so that you won't have to grind on it with your teeth. Grinding on ordinary candied tobacco makes you spit too much.

The taste of pure, rich tobacco does not need to be covered up with molasses and licorice. Notice how the salt brings out the rich tobacco taste in "Right-Cut."

One small chew takes the place of two big chews of the old kind.

WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY
50 Union Square, New York

BUY FROM DEALER OR SEND 10¢ STAMPS TO US

PROMOTERS GATHER TO ARRANGE FIGHT

Backers of Johnson-Willard Mix Meet in New York to Select Site and Date

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Members of the syndicate behind the Jack Johnson-Jesse Willard fight gathered here today to select a site and date for the championship bout.

A merry war is to be waged for the site of the fight. Billy Gibson, well-known promoter, returned last night from Havana with the announcement he would oppose the match being taken to Mexico. Gibson says he has permits from the president of Cuba and the mayor of Havana and the officials have assured him of their support. If Gibson is successful in securing the match for Cuba, it will be staged on Sunday, February 28, at Almendares park in Havana.

John McKee, representing Curley Brown of the Havana racing inter-

ests; Billy Gibson, James Coffroth and a representative of Juarez, Mexico, are on hand to press their respective claims. Coffroth wants to stage the big mill at Tia Juana, Mexico, just across the line from San Diego, Cal.

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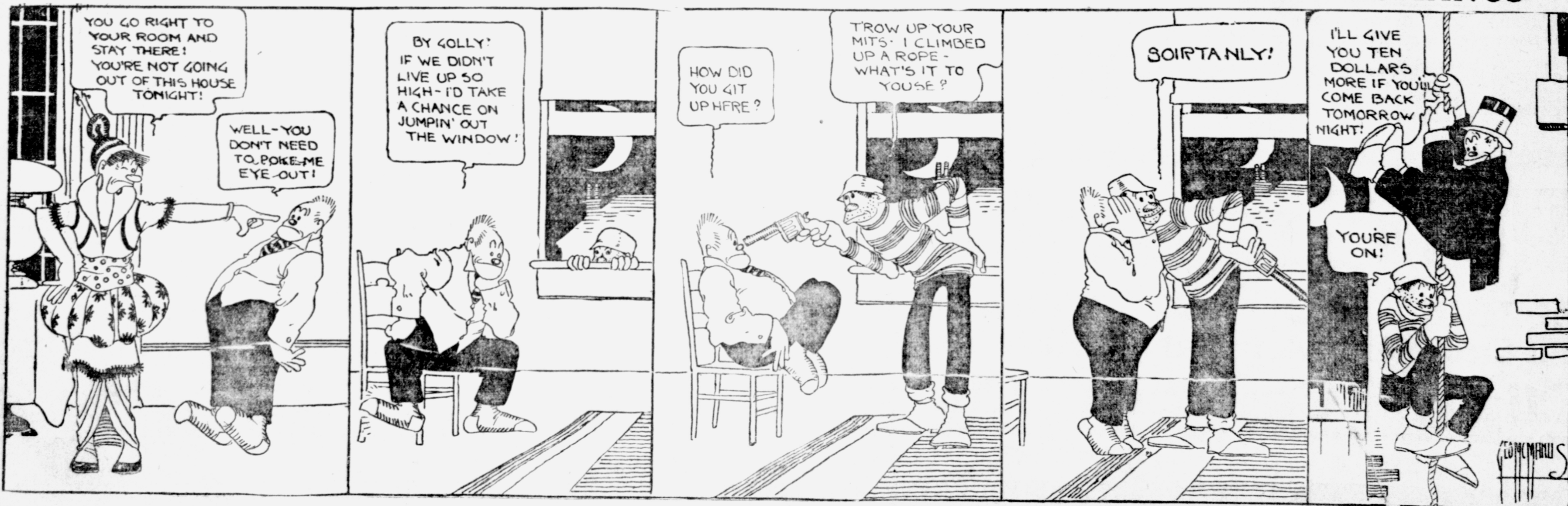
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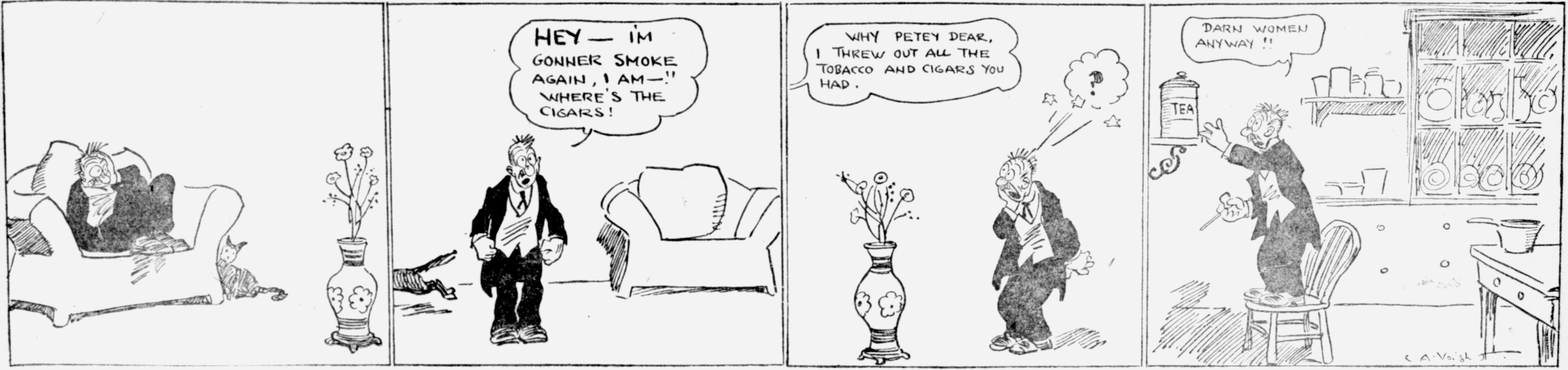
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By GEO. McMANUS



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By C. A. Voight



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BOTH PHONES 323.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Carpenters and carpenter foreman. Write James E. Higgins, Waukon, Iowa. 11 9 tf

ABLE-BODIED MEN. Good eyesight for firemen and brakemen. Good wages. Experience unnecessary. State age, railway, care Tribune.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 317 South Eighth. 1 6

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. J. E. Higgins, McMillan flat, 707 Cass. 1 5 tf

WANTED—Middle aged woman as housekeeper in small family. Wisconsin City Employment office, city hall. 1 2 5

WANTED—Experienced cook at home restaurant. 12 23 tf

FOR SALE

USED CAR BARGAINS—One 4 passenger Hudson roadster; one 2 passenger Hudson roadster; two Ford roadsters; one 5 passenger Imperial touring car; one 5 passenger Kirt touring car; one 5 passenger Regal touring car. All above cars in good condition. Some brand new, all for sale cheap, as we need the room for new stock. Moll-Savage Motor Co., agents Oldsmobile, Chevrolet, Baker Electric and Wilcox Trux, 419 State street. 12 31 4

FOR SALE—A bargain in a good sewing machine if taken this week. Address "Machine," Tribune office. 1 5 6

FOR SALE—One pair light bobsleds, one cutter. New phone 1363-M. 1 5 9

FOR SALE—One new milch cow. New Phone 504 Fred Schilling, Onalaska, Wis. 1 2 5

FOR SALE—Household goods. 513 Mill street. 7 30 tf

FOR SALE—Light bob-sleigh, cheap. 525 King. 12 31 1 6

FOR SALE—Two delivery horses, drive single or double, and double harness. La Crosse Sausage Factory. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE—Winchester repeater gun. Can be seen at Bluff Arcade saloon, 28th and Main. 11 11 tf

COLUMBIA Double Disc Records, 55c. Weis Book Store, 533 Main street. 12 7 1 6

FOR SALE—Good range, soft coal heater and good plush coat. Inquire 105 South Sixth. 12 14 tf

BOILER 10 h. p., \$125. N. N. Linn. 5 13 tf

FOR SALE—I have sixty Edison two minute Cylinder Records. Will sell cheap. 815 So. 5th St. 1 2 5

FOR SALE—Pair of birch sliding doors, with runners. New Phone 1137-C. 6 23 tf

FOR SALE—Two lots, one 4 h. p. steam engine and boiler. A bargain. Call new phone 456-M. 1 4 9

FOR SALE—Bargain. At once. Billiard hall, cigar stand and barber shop. Reason, poor health. 623 E. Fifth St., Winona, Minn. 12 28 1 7

FOR SALE—Five 8-foot plate glass show cases, marble base, at 322 Main street. 12 29 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, second hand 35 h. p. boiler and engine. New phone 688-A. 8 27 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four rooms upstairs; gas, water, toilet. 1914 Pine. 951-A new phone. 1 5 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board. 627 Vine St. 12 28 tf

FOR RENT—3 large unfurnished rooms, city heat. Inquire Dr. Waterson, 115 So. 4th. 1 2 tf

FOR RENT—Lightly furnished front room suitable for man and wife, or two girls. Have use of dining room and kitchen. Inquire 423 North Sixth. 11 30 tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms with heat. 149 South Sixth street. 12 5 1 7

FOR RENT—New seven room modern flat. Inquire Thos. E. Woolley, 230 South Sixteenth. 12 15 tf

THREE MODERN ROOMS for housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. 1739 Badger. Phone 1487-A. 12 3 tf

FOR RENT—Half of double house, six rooms, modern except heat. 46 Jackson. 12 19 tf

FOR RENT—Two large modern furnished rooms. 631 State. 12 31 tf

SEVEN ROOM HOUSE, city heat. 423 Cass. New phone 862-M. 11 20 tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house, all modern except heat, well located. New phone 739-C. 11 16 tf

FIVE NICE ROOMS—Inquire 624 South Third street. 12 31 1 6

FOR RENT—Two pleasant, furnished rooms. 215 South Seventh St. 12 4 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished, light housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 1 2 tf

FOR RENT—Nice large office room over 307 Main street. City heat. Call 194-C new phone. 1 4 14

FOR RENT—Six room house, modern except furnace. 519 Division street. 1 4 tf

FOR RENT—Seven rooms, modern. 1021 Jackson. 1 4 7

FOR RENT—Store building, 119 South Third. Inquire La Crosse Sausage Factory. 1 4 tf

FOR RENT—Steam heated office. Majestic building. Inquire Peter Newburg Clothing House. 12 31 1 6

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO BUY a light delivery wagon suitable for grocery delivery. Must be in good condition and reasonable. Call 753-C new phone. 1 5 7

DANCING—Mrs. Banker's class, Eagles' hall, Thursday evening, Jan. 7. Waltz, two-step and latest dances taught correctly. 50c. 1 5 6

CINDERS—50c per load. Delivered to any part of south side. Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power Co. Phone 112. 10 23 tf

POSITION WANTED by young man. Has had experience as traveling collector, shipping and office work. References furnished. Address A. C. D., Tribune. 1 5

WANTED TO RENT—Small modern house or flat. Call new phone 1746-M. 1 4 5

ROOMS AND BOARD at 140 South Thirteenth. Mrs. Wilden. 1 4 6

LOST

LOST—Black and white English setter dog. Answers the name of "Bang." 1121 Division. Call 1566-R new phone. 1 5 6

LOST—Gold cuff link with monogram. Return to this office. Reward. 1 5 6

LOST—Sunday afternoon on West avenue skating rink, a stick pin with a pinkish white pearl. Finder please call 1435-A or call at 1027 South Fifth for reward. 1 4 6

LOST—Dec. 31, between La Crosse and Chasburg, one suit-box marked E. R. Barron Co.; contents one ladies' white chinchilla white silk lined coat other parcel same box. Leave at E. R. Barron Co. and receive reward. 1 5

LOST—Pointer dog. Color white and liver. Return to Dr. Gunderson, La Crosse, Wisconsin. 12 16 tf

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid and installment stock for sale. 9 12 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Typewriter Ribbons

NEW TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, 35c. Half dozen \$1.75, while lot bought at bargain lasts. Regular 75c quality. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. Phone 56. 12 7 tf

DR. HOLMES SPEAKER

Dr. B. F. Holmes, 229 South Ninth street, will address the convention of Wisconsin Veterinary Graduates, to be held at Madison, January 19, 20 and 21. The convention is expected to be the biggest of its kind ever held in the state.

Another lucky individual is the one who has self-control.

REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT

Several new six room houses at \$12.50 a month each.

5 room flat, upper, 329 South Third street. \$14.00

4 room flat, lower, 309 King street. \$13.00

8 room house, modern except heating, 711 Pine street. \$20.00

7 room house, 219 Island St. \$8.00

FOR SALE

3 story brick building, suitable for factory, wholesale or rooming, at a bargain.

9 room house, barn and shed, lot 54x170, 1734 Pine street, one block from normal school, at a bargain.

2 lots, 19th and Madison, cheap. Several lots in Hentges' addition, between 12th and 13th streets, at a bargain.

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310 Pearl Street, La Crosse, Wis.

No. 7347.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

of

THE BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

at La Crosse, in the State of Wisconsin, at the close of business, Dec. 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, \$1,968,025.64

Overdrafts, secured 3,090.05

U. S. bonds to secure circulation 327,140.00

U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits 15,000.00

Other bonds to secure postal savings 20,000.00

Bonds, securities, etc. 507,405.00

Banking house, furniture and fixtures 45,000.00

Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 5,500.00

Due from state and private banks and bankers, trust companies and savings banks 91,915.18

Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities 204,232.78

Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities 268,603.84

Checks and other cash items 36,324.63

Due from Federal Reserve Bank 35,030.95

Notes of other National banks 7,959.00

Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents 450.07

Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:

Specie \$205,223

Legal-tender notes 10,000

Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 16,357.00

Total \$3,767,257.14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$400,000.00

Surplus fund 150,000.00

Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 35,918.69

National bank notes outstanding 327,140.00

Due to other national banks \$74,214.57

Due to state and private banks and bankers 610,214.49

Dividends unpaid 2,895.00

Individual deposits subject to check 1,291,756.98

Time certificates of deposit 848,981.85

Certified checks 100.00

United States deposits, \$15,000.00 postal savings deposits, \$6,597.13 21,597.13

Reserved for taxes 2,849,760.02 4,438.43

Total \$3,767,257.14

State of Wisconsin, County of La Crosse, ss.—I, John A. Bayer, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN A. BAYER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1915.

GEO. H. CLARK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

A. HIRSHEIMER,

G. VAN STEENWYK,

B. C. SMITH,

Directors.

A man isn't apt to feel like a philanthropist just because he gives himself away.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit

(Quoted by John C. Burns)

Olympic, Best Stand, gal. \$1.10

Olympic, Best Stand, gal. \$1.10

Celery, Michigan, gal. \$1.40

Celery, Michigan, gal. \$1.40

Cider, cream, half bushel, \$0.90

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PETTICOATS

A handsome lot of regular 75c and 85c values, several different styles trimmed in lace and embroidery, special January sale price.....

69c

48c

PRINCESS SLIPS

A big line of Princess Slips, ranging in price from 95c to \$1.98, special for our January sale, each.....

85c

FINE QUALITY DRAWERS, 95c

Another lot of Drawers made of excellent quality material, trimmed in very fine laces, special for January sale, your choice at only.....

95c

One table piled high with exceptional values in Women's Drawers, trimmed in embroidery and lace, worth much more than the price asked, for our January sale, your choice, pair.....

39c

MARCELLA DRAWERS AT 48c

One big lot of the celebrated Marcella Drawers, regular selling price 50c and 69c, priced special for our January sale.....

48c



Undermuslins on the Second Floor

CORSET COVERS

One table of Corset Covers of three different styles, regular 35c and 39c qualities, handsomely trimmed in laces, specially priced at only.....

21c

Corset Covers of several different styles, trimmed in embroidery, others made of a handsome quality nainsook, trimmed in fine lace and ribbon, qualities up to 69c, special January sale price, choice at.....

48c

WOMEN'S GOWNS

One lot of Women's Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, regular price 59c, January sale price only.....

33c

An extremely beautiful line of fine Gowns, ranging in price up to 69c, nicely trimmed, handsome quality material, January sale price.....

48c

SHORT PETTICOATS

One lot of Women's Short Petticoats, regular 25c values, our January sale price, choice.....

15c

Extra fine Drawers, regular selling price \$1.00, a very fine garment specially priced for January sale, choice.....

79c

First Showing of NEW SPRING SKIRTS

Today's express brought us a very good assortment of Spring models in Women's Skirts. The skirts are exceptionally well tailored and of the best materials, light broadcloths, gabardine, coverts and serges, and all very moderately priced. We invite you to call and see them.

Have You Attended Our Pre-Inventory Sale of Dress Fabrics

ROMAN STRIPE SERGESUITINGS

\$2.00 pure Wool Roman Stripe Serge Suitings, 54 in. wide, yard.....

\$1.19

ALL WOOL CHALLIES

69c French all Wool Challies, all light and dark colors, rich colors, figured, per yard.....

44c

SATIN CHARMEUSE

\$2.00 Satin Charmeuse, 40 inches wide, in light, medium and dark shades, at per yard.....

\$1.29

FANCY CREPES

\$2.25 and \$3.00 40 inch Fancy Crepes, Printed Silks, Printed Crepe de Chines, Egyptian Crepes, etc., yd.....

\$1.88

WASH FLANNELS

20c Eden and Normandie Stripe Wash Flannels, for shirt waists, children's wear, night robes, pajamas, etc., priced at per yard.....

12 1/2c

GALATEA CLOTH

18c Galatea Cloth for serviceable children's dresses, all styles, priced at per yard only.....

12 1/2c

DRESS GINGHAMS

25c quality of 32 inch Dress Gingham, big variety of patterns, at per yard only.....

15c

CRINKLED SILK CREPES

\$1.25 Crinkled Silk Crepes, 40 inches wide, in splendid plain shades, priced at the yard.....

88c

FRENCH CREPES

French Crepes in all plain colors, 40 inches wide, extra values going at per yard.....

48c

WHITE PERCALE

Plain White Percale for aprons and house wear, 36 inches wide, per yard.....

10c

WOOL FLANNEL

75c to \$1.00 qualities of White Wool Flannel for children's wear, special at per yard only.....

59c

MOMIE CLOTH

35c Momie Cloth, white grounds with printed figures, yard.....

19c

WHITE PIQUE

White Pique for suits and skirts, fine quality, 28 inches wide, per yard only.....

19c

SILK VOILE

\$1.75 Silk Voile, 42 inches wide, colored Silk Voile, now reduced to per yard.....

\$1.29

FRENCH DRESS LINENS

75c French Dress Linens, 48 inches wide, and \$1.00 Crash Linens in a complete line of dress shades, choice per yard.....

59c

WEST SALEM HIGH CLASS OF 1914 IS ENTERTAINED

Miss Lillian Man and Miss Vick Have Party for Old High Class, Nearly All are Present

WEST SALEM, Wis., Jan. 5.—Members of the 1914 class of the class of the West Salem high school were entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Lillian Man.

Protect Yourself!

AT FOUNTAINS, HOTELS, OR ELSEWHERE

Get the

Original and Genuine

HORLICK'S

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The Food Drink for All Ages

RICH MILK, MALT GRAIN EXTRACT, IN POWDER

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Take a package home

by Miss Man and Miss Vick. With the exception of Tracy Shove, Burns, Florence Best, Durand, and William Gehring, West Salem, all members of the class were present.

Pink and white, the class colors, were in evidence. Several novel games were played. Helen Keppel, Leslie Johnson and Carl Bechtold, won the prizes. Besides members of the class, Floyd Larson, Waldemar Rhode and Harry Fischer of West Salem, and Helen and Harry Keppel of La Crosse were present.

A three-course supper was served.

Bachelors Dance

The West Salem Bachelor's club, twenty-five in number, held their first annual ball at Roberts' hall Friday evening, January 1. The hall was decorated with pennants and the lights were covered with red crepe, giving the room a pretty appearance. Music was furnished by a seven-piece orchestra.

The out of town guests were the Misses Ruth Williams, Minneapolis; Liza Hatz, Bangor; Lillian Whittenberg, La Crosse; Sylvia Richardson, and Mrs. Benjamin Jones.

Church Elects Officers

The Congregational church society held an annual election Tuesday night. The following were elected: Trustee for three years, G. C. Elbert; clerk, Mrs. E. P. Coburn; treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Dudley, and mem-

bers of the executive committee of the federated church, W. J. Dudley and G. C. Hitchcock.

Install Officers

The West Salem chapter of the O. E. S. held its installation of officers Tuesday evening. A banquet was served at the conclusion of the business meeting.

Personals

Llewellyn Francis and Miss Ruth Williams of Minneapolis returned home Sunday evening after a few days' visit here with friends and relatives.

Miss Sylvia Richardson of Sparta spent a few days here with relatives and attended the West Salem Bachelors' first annual ball on Friday evening.

Dr. Kerr, Cleveland, Ohio, arrived Friday noon for a few days' visit with friends and relatives.

Alexander Samuels returned to his college work at Champaign, Ill., Wednesday, after spending the holidays here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Betts and daughters, Bessie and Norma, spent a few days in Chicago with Mrs. Betts' parents, recently.

Miss Ida Johnson of Minneapolis visited friends and relatives here recently.

Miss Syna Radcliff of Burr Oak visited her cousin, Mrs. L. B. Lord, the last of the week.

Irene Ford of Redstown is visit-

ing former classmates here. Miss Ford is a member of the class of 1913 at W. S. H. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Friesleben were in La Crosse Thursday evening to attend a 6 o'clock dinner given by Miss Ruth Leissring.

Miss Dorothy Waite of Bangor spent last week here with friends.

S. W. Brown and daughter Hazel

spent New Year's day at Sparta, the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheldon.

Mrs. Maude Taylor spent New Year's day here with relatives.

Miss Hattie Jones, who is a nurse at Chicago, spent a few days here recently, a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Jones.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Guiltlotte Tuesday, December 29, a daughter.

Mrs. J. C. Prill entertained the Alexandrian club of Sparta the first of the week.

Mrs. Max Meir and young son of La Crosse spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Meir's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Havens. They returned home Sunday evening.

G. Gatterdam, La Crosse, was a West Salem visitor Sunday.

Miss Meto Lange, La Crosse, visited friends here the first of the week.

Frank Storandt is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Albert Bischof, at Burr Oak.

Albert Eldred of Red Wing, Minn., and Miss Jessie Eldred of Minneapolis spent the holidays here with relatives.

Miss Helen Keppel of La Crosse, who has been a guest at the home of her cousin, Miss Lillian Man, returned to her home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Celestia Smith and daughter, Mrs. J. Ranney, attended the wed-

SAYS BAD TEETH CAUSE ILLNESS

Examination of School Children Indicates Stupidity Due to Lack of Dental Care

FAVORS NEW INSPECTION

Mouth an Open Secret of Causes of Child's Ills Believes Dr. W. C. Bennett: Makes Report

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 5.—The first complete investigation of the defects of country school children was reported by Dr. W. C. Bennett of Rhinelander, deputy state health officer, when he sent in report for Oneida county. Dr. Bennett found an apparent relation between decayed teeth and certain morbid conditions among school children. Of 134 cases of children who complained of earache, 73 per cent had decayed teeth; of 18 "mouth breathers", 60 per cent had decayed teeth, and of 56 who had goitre, 64 per cent had decayed teeth.

Many Examined
Dr. Bennett's examination covered tests of 1,041 children who are attendants upon the rural schools of Oneida county. Of this number 523, or 51 per cent were males. He found that 7.9 per cent of the children were designated as "sickly", that 8.7 per cent had abnormal skin, pale and yellow; that 5.8 per cent had eyes inflamed, dull and swollen; that 12.5 per cent had defective vision in one eye, and that 16.4 per cent had defective vision in both eyes. He found that 304 children, or 29 per cent, were addicted to headaches; that 13.7 per cent complained of earache; that 15.3 per cent had defective hearing in one ear, that 4.2 per cent had defective hearing in one ear, that 4.2 per cent had defective hearing in both ears, that 30 per cent complained of toothache, and that 15.1 per cent were nervous. He found that two-tenths of one per cent were imbecile, that seven-tenths of one per cent were stupid, and that 10 per cent were dull. He discovered that 85 children, or 8 per cent, were using tobacco, two of whom were six years of age, four were 7, two were 9, and the others between 10 and 18 years of age. Of the number using tobacco, 32 per cent were sickly, 22 per cent were "often sick", 26 per cent were "dull", 25 per cent were stupid, 7 per cent were "bright", and 9 per cent "very bright."

Has no Drawbacks
"While it is not expected or desired that this method of medical school inspection should take the place of inspection by medical men," says Dr. Bennett, "it is believed there are advantages in this method in some respects over the other. For instance, no school inspector can observe a child at work or at his play, and there are many moral, mental and physical properties brought out under these conditions that might escape the observation of the medical inspector entirely. It would seem that a combination of the two methods might be almost ideal. At any rate, in the absence of a regular medical inspector, this method has a great deal in its favor, and as far as observed no drawbacks."

Always the Mirage.
Once upon a time a beast of burden evinced reluctance to move in the direction desired by his owner. The owner attached some provender to a rod and suspended it over the animal's head. The animal, seeing these viands almost within reach, stepped gayly forward to consume them. As fast as he moved the provisions moved, but the silly beast, imagining that a moment more would surely bring him up with them, continued his travels until he had reached the destination intended by his wily owner. This fable teaches us that the golden age is just ahead and that we shall get there in a minute.—New York Times.

What He Wanted.
Captain—Can't you do something for that seasick passenger, doctor? Doctor—No; he wants too much. Captain—Why, what does he want? Doctor—He wants the earth.—London Opinion

Usually a man is what he suspects others of being.

ding of Miss Cecil Best at Durand, Wis., last week.

Edward Jackson is at Durand, where he was best man at the wedding of Miss Cecil Best.

BAD COLD, HEADACHY OR BILIOUS? REGULATE YOUR BOWELS! 10 CENTS

Break a bad cold? Yes! Surest way in the world is to take two Cascarets tonight and you will wake up with a clear head and the cold gone. Try this! If headachy, stuffed up and sore all over from a cold or gripe give your liver and bowels a thorough cleansing with Cascarets and you will wonder in the morning what became of your misery-making cold.

Cascarets is the surest cold breaker known—a 10-cent box will prove it.

Mothers should cure children's colds this way—no harm—no dangerous drugs.

10 CENT BOXES—ANY DRUG STORE ALSO 25 & 50 CENT BOXES.

WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

BABY HAD KIDNEY TROUBLE

I am pleased to write you that your Swamp-Root has done great things for me and my son.

My son was about nine months old when he was taken sick and the doctors whom he attended him said he had kidney trouble in the worst form and would not live only a short time. We gave him your remedy for about two months and today he is as well as any child of three years, and I cheerfully recommend Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root to all who are afflicted with kidney, liver or bladder troubles.

Wishing you success, I remain, FRANK DUFFY, Silver Springs, N. Y. Personally appeared before me this 16th of September, 1909, Frank Duffy, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

W. E. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You
Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the La Crosse Daily Tribune. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.



CHILDREN'S PARTIES

In the language of the huntsman, this ought to be the open season for children's parties. The game laws should be so modified as to permit anyone, with or without license, to "go gunning" for the fond parents who give children parties indoors.

Next perhaps to schools, these entertainments are responsible for the effective spread and nourishment of infectious diseases amongst children of the "better classes," at least.

Not so much can be said against garden parties and picnics because they don't crowd children together, and because they come at the season when children have much less contagious disease.

If the hostess were in league with the "Father of Germs," she couldn't be more ingenious than she is when she provides whistles, mouth organs, and horns for favors. Nothing could be invented more ideally calculated for the "swopping of spit" than these toys. Child etiquette and child nature demand that such toys be passed from one mouth to another.

A considerable proportion of the contagious diseases of children are "spit born." This may not be a pretty expression, but it is not half so ugly as the fact, and I am anxious to drive the fact home to parents, as sanitarians and hygienists see it.

Another devilish device of parties is the "spread." It is a strong minded mother who can provide a plain luncheon adapted to the needs and likes of husky young appetites. Instead, there is ice cream (probably from the frightfully germ laden supply of a nearby drug store) and cake.

Children's parties have upset the digestions, and what is worse, the minds and tastes of children who were beautifully balanced previously.

The above may be taken as the first application for membership in a "Society for the Prevention of Children's Parties."

Beyond Her Understanding.
A woman can never understand why her husband has to work so hard in order to make both ends meet, when he is so much smarter than other men.

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